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# MRS. COOPER'S OWN STORY ON WITNESS STAND

Mrs. Cooper on witness Stand To-day

## Woman Accused of the Murder of Young Charlie Northey Tells of Their Relationship and Its Tragic Ending---"Northey Only a Boy," She Says.

Special to the Boston American.

**AUGUSTA, Me., April 13.—Mrs. Alice F. Cooper,** the young matron who is on trial for the alleged murder of Charles D. Northey, Jr., at her home last October, took the witness stand in her own behalf at 10:43 o'clock to-day and told the entire story of her acquaintance with the boy she is accused of killing, the details of the incidents that led up to what proved his fatal call upon her, and just exactly what took place in the house on the day of the tragedy.

The climax of interest in this long and sensational trial was reached when the slender, pale-faced woman walked from her seat beside her husband to the witness stand. There was a look of determination on her face and, although she made her replies in a low voice, her tones were firm and free from trembling.

**"NORTHEY ONLY A BOY."**

"Charley was only a boy," said Mrs. Cooper. "He used to play tag with the children and was as much of a child as any of them. We talked late the night he was converted. He was crying and I put my arm around him.

"They played kissing games at the Allen party and Charley kissed me during one of the games. Kissing was general. Everybody did it during the evening."

Questioned by Mr. Heath, Mrs. Cooper told this story:

"I am thirty-four years old. I was married in Hallowell in June, 1899, when I was eighteen years old. I have three children. I have lost two.

"We lived in Hallowell four months after marriage, and then went to Windsor. A few months later we rebuilt the house we now live in and have lived there since."

"When did you join the church?" asked Mr. Heath.

"Eight years ago."

"You had done your own work at home?"

"Yes, sir.

"Besides that," continued Mrs. Cooper, "I carried the children to school mornings and have helped my husband by carrying work back and forth.

"Charles Northey came to our place the last of November, 1903. He slept upstairs with Lore all the time he was there, about fifteen months. My husband and I slept downstairs.

"Charley worked in the shop with my husband and boarded with us. He used to play games evenings with the children. He usually went to the Grange Thursday nights and home Saturdays. He was very fond of the children and he enjoyed playing with them. The children were all fond of him. He was very silent except with the children. He talked enough to them.

"Charley and I practiced music one or two evenings the first Winter he was there.

"Charley was only a boy. He used to play tag with the children, and was as much of a child as any of them.

"In May, 1904, he began to go to Sunday School, and after that he and I were brought more together. We held prayer meetings Wednesday nights, and he always attended that Summer.

"In September Charley was converted, and after that we were together more. We talked over religious matters a good deal. We talked late the night he was converted. He was crying and I put my arm around him.

"That Fall we played croquet a good deal. The children used to play the game and then Charley and my husband and I got to playing. My husband never played very well, but Charley and I became quite expert. We played very often and we played every evening.

**Taught to Skate by Northey.**

"This kept up until my husband was hurt in December. That Winter we went skating a good deal on Gully Brook. Henry Cooper and his wife and children used to go and one of my children usually went also. My husband and Charley went. I couldn't skate very well, but Charley could, and he taught me.

"We also went to the grange that Winter. Charles used to go with my husband and the children and myself. The whole

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## 250,000 Homeless by Fury of Vesuvius; NAPLES ASKS HELP

**Hundreds Killed Outright, Thousands Face Famine and Destitution.**

NAPLES, April 13.—Four terrible days have passed since the eruption of Vesuvius began, and Naples now calls upon the world for assistance.

Five thousand homes have been utterly destroyed. Half a score of villages have been either buried beneath volcanic ashes or rendered uninhabitable by the lava flow.

**Two hundred and fifty thousand penniless, hungry, homeless refugees throng the city, and the question of providing for them is most grave and serious.**

The sum of $300,000 has been subscribed to the relief fund, but this amount is so inadequate that it does not affect the situation.

Enormous sums must be furnished at once. Naples needs help, and instantly. Not only must food be furnished, but shelter and clothing for the absolutely destitute.

**Misery Illimitable.**

Misery illimitable marks the condition of the city and surrounding country, and Italy is practically admitted an inability to deal effectively with the situation.

The fund raised by the Duke of Aosta is busily sufficient for an adequate relief plan for a single day.

In many of the villages, filled to overflowing with refugees from the ruined towns, the people are rioting and demanding food.

The rain of ashes over Naples and the Vesuvian slope continued all day yesterday. Shortly after midnight the detonations and eruptions from the crater were far more awe-inspiring and frightful than at any time in the last week, and the hope inspired by the cheering message from Professor Matteucci in the Royal Observatory is gradually fading before the steady downpour of ashes and cinders and the persistent occurrence of violent explosions.

There can be no appreciation in America of the frightful suffering and misery caused here by the eruption of Mount Vesuvius. It is impossible to comprehend the situation adequately here within constant sound as well of sight of the volcano.

Refugees with sore-covered heads and bodies tottey into Naples, telling heartrending of the destruction of villages, of the wiping out of entire communities and of the hideous deaths of those who waited too long before fleeing from the doomed towns.

Actual misery and desolation are to be found in the dreary reports filed here day after day showing the actual destruction caused.

It is known that more than 2,000 houses have been entirely destroyed in the villages on the Vesuvian slope and other thousands have been rendered utterly uninhabitable.

The destruction caused is found not only among these villages, however, for many in Naples have suffered badly.

Many houses here have given way under the weight of the sand and ashes, and Neapolitans and villagers alike seek cover in the public buildings and wherever they can find room to cower them.

**Enormous Sums Needed for Adequate Relief to Sufferers from Volcano's Wrath.**

### MOUNT TACOMA, IN WASHINGTON, SAID TO BE IN ERUPTION

PORTLAND, Or., April 13.—A dispatch from North Yakima, Washington, says that word was received to-day from John Campbell, who is holding claims for Yakima men at the snow base of Mount Tacoma, that the mountain on Wednesday hurled out ashes.

The mountain has been shrouded in clouds for some time, and on Tuesday morning rushing was heard by Campbell. Tuesday night smoke was observed. It was not until Wednesday morning that Campbell paid any attention to the noise, when a wind brought ashes from the mountain peak to the place where he was working.

News of Relief Work for Volcano Victims on Page 3.

## YANKEE ATHLETES HURT BY A GIANT WAVE

### ENTIRE TEAM NEARLY WASHED OVERBOARD FROM STEAMSHIP'S DECKS.

GIBRALTAR, April 13.—Big members of the American athletic team which is to take part in the olympic games at Athens narrowly escaped death on April 4, one day out from New York, while standing on the deck of the steamer Barbarossa. A gigantic wave struck the ship, throwing the men about like feathers, half drowning them and more or less injuring the entire six, so that it is believed some will be unable to take part in the games.

The Barbarossa touched here to-day and reported the accident. While the men were standing forward of the pilot house watching the mountainous waves breaking beneath the ship, one monster broke aboard, dashing the entire party to the deck. It was a miracle that they were not all washed overboard.

H. L. Hillman, the quarter-miler, suffered a laceration of the left knee. C. S. Mitchell, the weight thrower, was lifted from his feet, thrown to the deck with awful force and sustained a dislocation of his left shoulder. H. W. Kerrigan, high jumper; M. P. Sheridan, discus thrower, and F. A. Bornamann, swimmer, and Harvey Cohn, the distance man, all receiving numerous injuries.

The ship physician reports that all are doing as well as can be expected. It is doubtful whether Mitchell and Hillman will be able to start in the games. Providing the others continue to improve as rapidly as they are at present they will be in condition.

## GAYNOR AND GREENE GET 4 YEARS AND BIG FINE

### CONTRACTORS SENTENCED TO PENITENTIARY AND MUST PAY $575,749.

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 13.—Judge Speer sentenced Captain Greene and Colonel Gaynor to four years in the penitentiary and imposed on each a fine equal to the amount embezzled, $575,749.90.

There was a large crowd in court.

The defendants may be relieved of the fine by making oath that they are possessed of no more than $20.

The men were found guilty of conspiracy against the government by a jury in three hours and a half yesterday.

Potted Easter Lilies and a China Tray Free With Want Ads for Next Sunday's American

# IMPORTANT NEWS

Revised Hourly for Busy Readers.

## FOREIGN.

### RUSSIA NEAR BANKRUPTCY, TO ASK AID.

GLASGOW, April 13.—A dispatch to the Herald from St. Petersburg states that the complete bankruptcy of Russia is apprehended. In the Imperial treasury only a few million roubles are left. The Democrats, the correspondent says, will make a special appeal to Great Britain and to France to unite and subscribe to the loan.

### HAGUE MEET IN SEPTEMBER.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 13.—It is officially announced that the second Hague conference has been adjourned until September in view of the opposition of the United States Government to holding the meeting the first two weeks of July, as originally suggested by Russia.

### EMPEROR SORRY TO LOSE STORER.

VIENNA, April 13.—Emperor Francis Joseph yesterday privately received the retiring American ambassador, Bellamy Storer, and expressed his personal regret at Mr. Storer's departure.

## WASHINGTON.

### ROOSEVELT ELECTED FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—President Roosevelt was elected first vice-president of the National Playgrounds Association of America. President Jr. Luther Joseph Lee of Boston was elected third vice-president.

### TO PROTECT WOMEN STORE WORKERS.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Representative Greene of Massachusetts has introduced a bill requiring mercantile establishments to provide one seat for each three females employes and to allow the use of the seats to the extent necessary to preserve the health of the employes.

### WILL PUT 300 PRINTERS OUT OF WORK

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Three hundred printers will be dismissed from the Government printing office, and the Government will save between $60,000 and $70,000 annually, by the decision of the Commissioner of Patents to have the patent office Gazette published by contract.

## ALL SORTS.

### NEW YORK TAXES AUTOS.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 13.—The Senate has passed a bill imposing a tax on motor vehicles of 24 cents, with $1 added for each 500 pounds of weight or fraction thereof over 500 pounds.

### TO REOPEN HERESY CASE.

CINCINNATI, O., April 13.—The heresy case of Professor Hinckley G. Mitchell of Boston has been called to this city, where a movement is being made to have before the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church has been started.

### CUT OUT "ETERNAL TORMENT."

CHICAGO, April 13.—Forty-three Presbyterian churches in Northern Illinois have decided that the words "eternal torment," which have stood in the Presbyterian creed for 250 years, be stricken out.

### FAVOR PATRICK APPEAL BILL.

ALBANY, April 13.—Mr. Wade's bill, designed to permit Albert T. Patrick to make another appeal to the Court of Appeals on the ground of newly discovered evidence in his case, has been reported favorably by the Assembly Judiciary Committee.

### PINEY WOODS HOTEL BURNS.

THOMASVILLE, Ga., April 13.—The famous hotel, the Piney Woods, was burned last night. Incendiaries or flying sparks fired the south portion of the town also, but as the Piney Woods fire was under control the damage to the small stores were swept most. The hotel loss is $65,000; other loss $25,000.

### ST. LOUIS ANGERS CONRIED.

ST. LOUIS, April 13.—Heinrich Conried, grand opera manager, will leave after skip St. Louis, according to Ernest Gnerlich, his personal representative. He looks toward this city much as he felt toward Boston two years ago, after an unsuccessful season there. He won't come again without a guarantee fund.

## PROMINENT PERSONS.

### NEW GOVERNOR FOR MOROS.

MANILA, April 13.—The Philippine Commission has appointed General Tasker H. Bliss governor of Mindanao to succeed General Leonard Wood.

### KING EDWARD TO SEE GAMES.

ATHENS, April 13.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra will be present at the opening of the Olympian games. The number of foreign competitors is now exceeded, including the Australian Kangaroo British and forty-two Americans.

### TO PLAY FOR BERNHARDT.

CHICAGO, April 13.—Mrs. Leslie Carter is to give a special performance at the Grand Opera House next Thursday for Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, who will be here at the same time.

## BOSTON.

### SOUTHERN LAWMAKERS HERE.

A delegation from the Maryland House of Representatives, including Representatives D. D. Bowen, Benjamin M. Stone, William M. O. Soil, Fred T. Dorsey and Harry E. Bond, reached Boston this morning for the purpose of visiting the Massachusetts Legislature, the fish hatcheries and various other institutions.

### LIEUT. COL. WARREN RETIRES.

Lieutenant Colonel Albert C. Warren, assistant adjutant general Second Brigade, M. V. M., has been retired with the rank of colonel after serving in the State thirty-five years. This was done at his own request and the following order issued:

### FAST NEW CRUISER HERE.

The armored cruiser Washington arrived in the harbor last evening after a four-days' continuous test in a run along the coast. Her average speed for four hours was 22.372 knots.

## THE WAR ON GRAFT.

### STATE GETS BACK $1,035,000

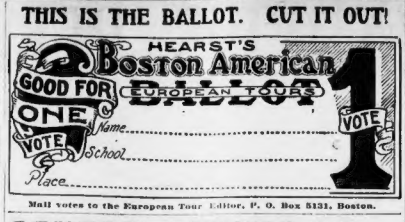
HARRISBURG, Pa., April 13.—Governor Pennypacker announces that the state has received and will put to-day funds, amounting to $1,035,000, on deposit with the Enterprise National Bank of Allegheny at the time of its failure owing to political graft operations.

## LABOR.

### SEEKS LASTER PRESIDENCY.

BROCKTON, April 13.—Thomas B. Hickey, business agent of the Lasters' Union, has announced his candidacy for president of the Boot and Shoe Workers' International Union, to succeed John F. Tobin of Norfolk Downs.

## THIS IS THE BALLOT. CUT IT OUT!




Mail votes to the European Tour Editor, P. O. Box 5131, Boston.

# GENERAL MOVING UP OF LOW TEACHERS

"Moving up" by teachers under the steady voting of their friends was general—spread all along the list—in the European Tour Election yesterday.

Most interesting was the upward movement of candidates far down in the list.

Miss Ethel Weeman of the Ingalls School, Lynn, was one of these yesterday. Miss Ingalls went up from 929 to 3,529 votes in one day's balloting.

Miss Charlotte Jones of Belmont School, Malden, and Miss Henrietta McConnell of the Carter School, Chelsea, each came up to 900 votes, ready to step into the "1,000 class." Other unpublished candidates who made good gains yesterday were: Misses Cuzzabali of Newton and Hudson of Lexington.

### $1,800 FIRE IN BANGOR.

BANGOR, April 13.—Fire in the building of Snow & Nealley Company, hardware and ship chandlery, Broad street, and owned by Hiram Oliver, caused loss of $15,000 last night. The grocery of the Arthur Chaplin Company was damaged $5,000.

### DEFEATED AFTER 27 YEARS.

NEW BEDFORD, April 12.—At the annual election of city officers by the city Council last night, James H. Hathaway, city treasurer for forty-seven years, was defeated, and Henry Howland was chosen as his successor.

### Advance Along the Line.

Miss Jennie A. Lewis of East Auburn, who advanced from 490 to 637, and Miss Annie Robsonugh, who scored 280, were the gainers in the section of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont.

Among the Massachusetts leaders, Miss Elizabeth Sharry took third place from Miss Alice J. O'Gara, and Miss Mary McDonnell superseded Miss Bessie Churchill.

In the interesting Providence duel, Miss Agnes A. Trafford went into second position over Miss Mary E. Oslin, though Miss Grace J. Allan of Bristol clung to leadership.

In Portland, Miss Mabel Gilman went over the head of Miss Nellie Bulger in fifth place.

# CANDIDATES AND THEIR STANDING

Following is the list of teachers having 1,000 votes or more in the European Tour Election. Record is kept of the names and votes of all teachers still enlisted:

### Boston and Metropolitan District.

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|---|---|
| Rachel Bermudez, Lewis, Roxbury | 86,120 |
| Elizabeth Pillsbury Adams, East Boston | 54,782 |
| Stella L. Soltz, Elliot | 49,740 |
| Laura Lanigan, Winthrop, Winthrop | 44,272 |
| Anna L. Sullivan, Lewis, Roxbury | 41,477 |
| Kathleen V. Prosser, Washington, on parcels | 41,423 |
| Susan E. Sullivan, Lowell | 40,241 |
| Susan B. Sullivan, Lowell | 39,440 |
| Elizabeth G. Hutchinson, Phillips | 38,958 |
| Mary E. Sullivan, Prescott, Cambridge | 36,171 |
| Elizabeth Rogers, Prescott, Charlestown | 31,290 |
| Mary E. Hurley, Bunker Hill | 30,000 |
| W. May Nash, Harvard, Cambridge | 28,230 |
| Alice L. Hayes, Dearborn, Dorchester | 26,500 |
| Mary B. Tenney, Williams | 24,327 |
| Mary Reed Mackintosh, Phillips | 23,763 |
| Minnie Donovan, Quincy, Somerville | 23,000 |
| Helen Gahan, Bigelow, Newton | 22,765 |
| Lucy B. Sullivan, Quincy, Quincy | 16,500 |
| Alice M. Hayes, Bradford, Beechmont | 12,750 |
| Margaret Sullivan, Bradford, Beechmont | 12,750 |
| Margaret A. Ryan, Emerson, Dorchester | 12,750 |
| Mary Burnett, Shaw, Wellesley | 12,087 |
| Addie B. Cresson, Prospect, Wakefield | 10,000 |
| Helen M. Cozzo, Perry, Somerville | 9,081 |
| Susan McDonald, Curtis, Chelsea | 9,000 |
| Mary A. Haverty, Dudley, Roxbury | 9,000 |
| Ida B. Davis, Quincy, Somerville | 8,000 |
| Grace E. Gardner, Brimmer | 7,812 |
| Mary E. Sullivan, Lewis, South Boston | 6,500 |
| Ethel M. Pettingell, Phillips, Charlestown | 5,988 |
| Ida M. Brodrick, Stearns, Waltham | 5,749 |
| Elizabeth Simpson, Martin, Dorchester | 5,495 |
| Leona Gray, Maplewood, Malden | 5,492 |
| Katherine Gifford, Bennett, Somerville | 5,252 |
| Sarah Davidson, Agassiz, Jamaica Plain | 4,998 |
| Mary E. Strong, South, Waltham | 4,749 |
| Sophie M. Tower, James Otis, East Boston | 4,499 |
| Alice M. Hayes, Bradford, Beechmont | 4,250 |
| Margaret A. Ryan, Emerson, Dorchester | 4,250 |
| Mary Burnett, Shaw, Wellesley | 4,029 |
| Ida M. Davis, Quincy, Somerville | 4,000 |
| Isabel M. Brown, Sparrell, Roxbury | 3,511 |
| Frances Newcomb, Rice, Roxbury | 3,494 |
| Edith Marshall, Lincoln, Wakefield | 2,250 |
| Harriet A. Wetherbee, Washington, Medford | 2,000 |
| Nellie Manning, Brimmer | 1,947 |
| E. Silvia Nichols, Roberts | 1,750 |
| Susan Adene, Roberts, Cambridge | 1,427 |
| Mary E. Sullivan, Lewis, Roxbury | 1,250 |
| Harriet Bailey Edmund Green, Dorchester | 1,250 |
| Miss Bassett, Norton, Upper Falls | 1,250 |
| Amanda Wood, Shurtleff, Chelsea | 1,250 |
| Gertrude Merrill, Bloomingdale, Chelsea | 1,125 |
| Ida B. Winfield Lincoln, Malden | 1,000 |
| Kate Rose, Roger Wolcott, Dorchester | 1,000 |
| Martha H. Jackson, Rice | 1,000 |

### Massachusetts, Outside Boston.

Nellie Billerica, South High, Worcester.. 259,159

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|---|---|
| Ellen de S. Barrett, Jackson, Newburyport | 214,609 |
| Elizabeth Sharry, Lamartine, Worcester | 142,541 |
| Alice J. O'Gara, Maple St., Spencer | 112,800 |
| Anne V. Mahoney, Howard, Worcester | 108,540 |
| Leonora Randall, Walnut, Clinton | 75,565 |
| Margaret Reed Hall, Lincoln, Worcester | 61,750 |
| Annie Mullen, Millbury, Worcester | 57,818 |
| Mary E. Mahoney, Howard, Worcester | 50,706 |
| Bessie Churchill, Indian Neck, E. Wareham | 49,198 |
| Mary E. Mahoney, Howard, Worcester | 47,830 |
| Nellie Bergin, Perkins, Brockton | 41,637 |
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| Mary Agnes Nangle, Pearl Bridgewater | 24,634 |
| Helen G. Kennedy, Hancock | 24,000 |
| Grace Hammond, West Newbury | 23,842 |
| Katherine Gifford, Bennett, Somerville | 20,252 |
| Edith Cunningham, Gill | 21,573 |
| Josephine Hubert, Beverly | 20,000 |
| Alice E. Ramsey-Nutt, Chelmsford | 15,141 |
| Susan McDonald, Curtis, Chelsea | 12,000 |
| Susan P. Cobb, Brockton | 8,809 |
| Mary E. Mahoney, West Lawrence | 7,250 |
| Mary Agnes Nangle, Pearl Bridgewater | 6,052 |
| Julia Butler, Pleasant, Marlboro | 5,282 |
| Mary E. Mahoney, Howard, Worcester | 4,138 |
| C. Francis Day, Walnut, Haverhill | 3,710 |
| Mabel M. Emery, Segregansett, Dighton | 3,529 |

### Rhode Island and Connecticut.

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|---|---|
| Winnifred Fairbanks, Gardner | 1,458 |
| Agnes A. Corbett, America, Providence | 1,250 |
| A. Preston, Prospect, Beverly | 1,001 |
| Jane E. Monahan, Pleasant, Greenfield | 1,000 |
| Emma S. Perry, Pierce, Greenfield | 1,117 |
| Mary E. Kelly, Fairhill | 1,000 |
| Delia Corbett, Aldrich, Fall River | 1,841 |
| Hannah Brady, Bennett, Somerville | 1,750 |
| Mary Clark, Wallaston | 1,611 |
| Mary E. Kelly, Worcester | 1,500 |
| Ethel Bates, Princeton | 1,250 |
| Carrie Holden, Methuen | 1,087 |
| Sadie Pudding, Ashfield, Duxbury | 1,057 |

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|---|---|
| Grace J. Allan, Walley, Bristol, R. I. | 195,862 |
| Agnes A. Corbett, America, Providence | 192,122 |
| Mary E. Oslin, Regent, Providence | 169,487 |
| Catherine Mulhall, Atwells, Providence | 151,451 |
| Gertrude T. Brennan, Hope St., Woonsocket | 128,862 |
| Mary E. Kelly, Fairhill, Providence | 115,000 |
| Madeline G. Cass, Woonsocket, R. I. | 100,469 |
| Bessie B. Allan, Garfield, Central Falls | 97,015 |
| Helen F. Martin, Broadway, Pawtucket | 92,207 |
| Mary Agnes Trafford, Bristol, R. I. | 91,000 |
| Mary E. Campbell, Central Falls | 86,000 |
| Mary E. Kelly, Fairhill, Providence, Co. | 85,625 |
| Jessie Allan, Central Falls, R. I. | 84,401 |
| Ethel L. Smith, Woodlawn, Pawtucket | 82,669 |
| Mary E. Kelly, Fairhill, Providence | 81,000 |
| Eleanor H. Rhodes, Prairie, Providence | 75,751 |
| Mary E. Campbell, Central Falls, Pawtucket | 75,000 |
| Clara M. Polk, Prairie, Providence | 22,343 |
| Mary E. Kelly, Fairhill, Providence | 5,000 |
| Carrie M. Soule, Providence, R. I. | 4,000 |
| Mary Dempsey, Prairie, Providence, R.I. | 3,750 |
| Annie Jeffers, Dexter, Providence, R.I. | 3,500 |
| Emma L. Hammond, Bellevue, R. I. | 4,567 |
| Elizabeth Strang, Providence | 4,000 |
| Ellen Callahan, Coddington, Newport, R. I. | 3,599 |
| Miss Flint, Dexter, Providence | 3,250 |
| Mary A. Carlin, Candence, Providence | 2,928 |
| Cecelia Mann, Julian, Providence | 2,500 |
| Sarah A. Boardman, East Greenwich, R. I. | 2,500 |
| Mrs. H. H. Wight, Stonington, Co. | 2,250 |
| N. P. Boulevard, Atlantic, Providence | 2,000 |
| Mary E. Bartlett, Elm Point, R. I. | 2,000 |
| Mabel Dunaday, Elm Park, Providence, R. I. | 1,250 |
| Rachel Linden, Lexington, Providence | 1,152 |

### Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont.

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|---|---|
| Katherine L. Moynihan, Cole, Berlin, N.H. | 216,612 |
| Isabel Kanson, Bath, Me. | 178,000 |
| Mary G. Connelly, Noria Portland, Me. | 134,252 |
| Nellie M. Welch, Bowdoin, Me. | 121,451 |
| Mabel Gilman, Broad Farm, S. Portland | 111,000 |
| Nellie M. Welch, Bowdoin, Me. | 98,871 |
| Bessie B. Allan, Garfield, Manchester | 91,000 |
| Beatrice May Union St. Johnsbury, Vt. | 19,743 |
| Margaret H. Ryan, Bowdoin, Me. | 18,000 |
| Kattie Scott, Kingman, Me. | 16,757 |
| Gertrude Tompkins, Spring, N. H. | 9,750 |
| Fannie Horton, Claremont, N. H. | 9,252 |
| Mary E. Kelly, Fairhill, Manchester | 9,000 |
| Annie M. Warner, Newton Junction, N. H. | 6,797 |
| Mary A. Welch, Bowdoin, Me. | 5,750 |
| Esther Measham, Springfield, Vt. | 5,500 |
| Margaret H. Ryan, Bowdoin, Me. | 4,500 |
| Nellie M. Welch, Bowdoin, N. H. | 4,000 |
| Jennie P. Elmer, Brattleboro, Vt. | 4,000 |
| Gertrude Tompkins, Spring, Manchester | 3,750 |
| Florence Carter, Woodsville, N. H. | 2,777 |
| Mary E. Kelly, Fairhill, Pine St., N. H. | 2,500 |
| Molly Wiley, Elm, St. Albans, Vt. | 2,250 |
| Mary A. Welch, Bowdoin, Me. | 2,000 |
| Alice Workman, Sullivan, Me. | 1,875 |
| Charlotte M. Dodge, Brattleboro, Vt. | 1,750 |
| Nina Greenwood, Brattleboro, Vt. | 1,500 |
| Florence Lowell, Elm, Lord's Addres Me. | 1,250 |
| Viola Billings, Union, Montpelier, Vt. | 1,046 |

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# HOUSE STRIKES AT GRAFTERS

Special to the Boston American.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—In an effort to prevent grafting in national politics, the committee on the scandal of national officers has reported favorably the bill introduced by Mr. Norris of Nebraska calling for the election of senators by the direct vote of the people.

The bill provides in addition that members of the House be elected for four instead of two years.

"With an election every two years, the politician grafter who thrives on partisan strife and on the nervous uncertainty controlling candidates for office is able to live from one election to another by the boodle secured at his nefarious business. The adoption of the proposed amendment would render it less possible for this creature to ply his trade," says the report.



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| Amalgamated | 110½ | 111¼ |
| American Telephone | 138½ | 138¾ |
| American Woolen | 28 | 28¼ |
| American Sugar preferred | 137½ | 137½ |
| American Woolen preferred | 102 | 102 |
| Boston Elevated | 147 | 147 |
| Boston & Maine | 194½ | 194½ |
| Boston & Albany | 255 | 255 |
| Boston & Lowell | 245 | 245 |
| Boston & Providence | 275 | 275 |
| Boston Ferries | 42½ | 42½ |
| Boston Land | 8 | 8 |
| Boston & Maine | 194½ | 194½ |
| Boston & Albany | 255 | 255 |
| Boston & Lowell | 245 | 245 |
| Boston & Providence | 275 | 275 |
| Boston Ferries | 42½ | 42½ |
| Boston Land | 8 | 8 |
| Chicago, Burlington & Quincy | 1,305 | 1,305 |
| Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific | 30½ | 30½ |
| Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific preferred | 87 | 87 |
| Dominion Coal | 70 | 70 |
| Dominion Coal preferred | 125 | 125 |
| Fitchburg preferred | 98½ | 98½ |
| Mexican Central | 17½ | 17½ |
| New England Cotton Yarn | 100 | 100 |
| New England Telephone | 130½ | 130½ |
| North & Western | 84½ | 84½ |
| North Boston | 84½ | 84½ |
| Old Colony | 190½ | 190½ |
| Old Dominion | 50 | 50 |
| Pullman | 190 | 190 |
| Quincy | 160 | 160 |
| Rubber | 7 | 7 |
| Rubber preferred | 113½ | 113½ |
| Union Pacific | 97½ | 97½ |
| United Copper | 67½ | 67½ |
| United Fruit | 127 | 127 |
| United States Steel | 42½ | 42½ |
| United States Steel preferred | 108½ | 108½ |
| U. S. Smelting | 61 | 61 |
| U. S. Steel | 99¾ | 99¾ |
| West End | 90½ | 90½ |
| West End preferred | 116½ | 116½ |
| Wolverine | 137½ | 138 |

NEW YORK STOCKS.

| | Opening. | Last. |
|---|---|---|
| Amal. Copper | 109¾ | 110¼ |
| Amer. Car & Foundry | 45¾ | 45¾ |
| Amer. Ice | 68¾ | 68¾ |
| Amer. Smelting | 158 | 158¾ |
| Anaconda | 27⅞ | 27⅞ |
| Atchison | 97¾ | 97¾ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 112¾ | 112¾ |
| Brooklyn Transit | 71¼ | 71¼ |
| Central Leather | 32¼ | 32¼ |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 42¾ | 42¾ |
| Chicago, Great Western | 17½ | 17½ |
| Colo. Fuel & Iron | 61¼ | 61¾ |
| Consol. Gas | 190 | 191 |
| Erie | 44¾ | 44¾ |
| Illinois Central | 144 | 144 |
| Louisville & Nashville | 125¾ | 125¾ |
| Missouri Central | 25¾ | 25¾ |
| Missouri Pacific | 95¾ | 95¾ |
| New York Central | 143 | 143 |
| New York, Ontario & Western | 47¾ | 47¾ |
| Pennsylvania | 140 | 140 |
| People's Gas | 104 | 104 |
| Reading | 157½ | 158 |
| Republic Steel | 27¾ | 27¾ |
| Southern Pacific | 68¾ | 68¾ |
| Southern Railway | 30¼ | 30¼ |
| St. Paul | 170½ | 170½ |
| Texas Pacific | 29¾ | 29¾ |
| U. S. Steel | 42¾ | 42¾ |
| U. S. Steel pfd. | 108 | 108 |
| Wabash | 22¾ | 22¾ |


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# FUND FOR VESUVIUS RELIEF REACHES $7,807

## Instant Aid Needed to Succor the Starving and Rescue Those Made Homeless by the Lava and Ashes of Uesuvius.

The responses to the request of the Italian Relief Committee of New York for funds to be sent to the help of the suffering thousands who were made homeless and penniless by the eruption of Mount Vesuvius have been general throughout the country and early to-day amounted to nearly $8,000.

Boston has been somewhat slow in coming to the aid of the victims of the great disaster, but it is certain that this city, which is famous for its philanthropy and promptness to meet grave emergencies just like this, will extend a generous hand in this time of dire need.

**INSTANT RELIEF IS NEEDED.**

Money is needed at once to buy food for men, women and children who must have instant relief or perish from starvation. Boston contributors may either send their money to the National Bank of the Republic, No. 95 Milk street, or send it to the office of the BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 80 Summer street.

This money will be telegraphed at once to the relief committee in New York and cabled to Naples, where it may be available in the stricken city within a few hours at most after the donation is made.

Among the Boston contributors are the well-known fruit firm of P. Pastene & Co., of Nos. 73 and 75 Fulton street, which gave $100; Representative George A. Scigliano, $50; Albiani Bros., No. 99 Summer street, $10; Joseph Ardini, $5.

A representative of the firm of Albiani Bros. called at the office of the BOSTON AMERICAN with their contribution. Many others have called to ask about the matter. It is believed that before evening many hundreds of dollars will have been contributed by Boston residents.

**BIG CITIES ARE LIBERAL.**

New York, San Francisco and Chicago have contributed liberally, and the committees in these cities have just got fairly to work. Paterson, N. J., came to the front at once with $1,000 and Los Angeles with the same amount.

The Los Angeles committee has arranged for a special performance of "Hedda Gabler," under the auspices of the Los Angeles Examiner, at the Burbank Theatre, the proceeds to be devoted to the Italian relief committee's fund. Oliver Morosco, manager of the theatre, has offered the use of his house without charge, and several of the leading members of the Burbank Theatre and Belasco Theatre stock companies have volunteered their services.

**MANY MAYORS ACT.**

The Mayors of a number of the larger cities throughout the country, who had been invited to co-operate with the Italian relief committee, organized committees and proceeded to arrange plans for the collection of subscriptions. Mayor Edward F. Dunne of Chicago issued a proclamation calling for contributions. His telegram says:

"An Italian relief committee has been organized for the purpose of raising funds for the assistance of the afflicted people of Naples and the surrounding territory. John G. Garibaldi was appointed treasurer of the local committee. I have issued a proclamation calling for contributions from charitably disposed persons in Chicago and vicinity, and have requested them to forward checks to Mr. Garibaldi."

Mayor R. C. Cottrell of Newport, R. I., wires: "I will have committee formed and act immediately. Newport press publishes your appeal."

Mayor John M. Weaver of Philadelphia sends word that "We have here a citizens' permanent relief committee, of which I am an ex-officio chairman. They have already considered the relief of the sufferers of the eruption of Mount Vesuvius, and will meet again to consider the subject."

From Baltimore comes word that "Mayor Timanus, in response to the appeal of the Italian Relief Committee for contributions to relieve the sufferers from the Mount Vesuvius disaster, has sent out a call for a meeting of citizens who will organize a committee and collect subscriptions."

Mayor Horace Wilson of Wilmington, Del., telegraphs: "Your appeal is received, and I will immediately call a meeting and collect subscriptions."

John P. Studley, Mayor of New Haven, says: "In response to your request he has asked Michaele Riccio, Italian Consul in this city, to organize a committee to receive contributions for sufferers from Vesuvius disaster in Italy."

Cincinnati sends word that "The Mayor of Cincinnati has named a sub-committee to the Italian Relief Committee, and subscriptions will be taken up at once."

Providence, R. I., telegraphs: "Providence Italians have organized a committee of fifteen, to obtain contributions for Vesuvius sufferers. They will hold a mass meeting to-morrow night."

**MEETING IN COUNCIL CHAMBER.**

Mayor Fitzgerald has issued a call for prominent Italians and to all other citizens to attend a meeting in the Common Council chamber to-morrow, at 11 o'clock. The Mayor's appeal was issued directly after he had received a telegram from Hon. W. R. Hearst asking that His Honor appoint a committee to facilitate the work of relief which Mr. Hearst has headed.

**SEND CONTRIBUTIONS AT ONCE.**

Contributions, however, should not be delayed until the meeting tomorrow. They can be sent to the office of the BOSTON AMERICAN.

The will of the meeting will probably be to name a committe to collect and forward funds to the unfortunate sufferers.

The telegram which Mr. Hearst sent to the Mayor, upon receipt of which His Honor issued the appeal, reads:

New York, April 11, 1906.

To John F. Fitzgerald, Mayor of Boston, Massachusetts:

In behalf of the stricken people in Southern Italy, the Italian Relief Committee appeals to you, and the people of your city for contributions. Hundreds, perhaps thousands, of lives have been blotted out. Populous villages and towns have been overwhelmed by the eruption of Vesuvius.

Those afflicted are chiefly poor peasants. Many Americans who have witnessed the outrage and hard work of these people living at the foot of the mountain of fire will wish to prove their sympathy in a practical fashion.

We ask you to appoint a committee of citizens in your locality to cooperate with us. Contributions sent to the Italian Relief committee, as below, will be duly acknowledged and made payable to William Randolph Hearst, chairman. John P. Gilbert, John Lordi, Augusto Leguisi, Felice Tocci, Augustus Stortroni, Joseph N. Francolini, Charles Bartolotta and James T. Marchi.

Signed
WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST.

**WROTE ITALIAN CONSUL.**

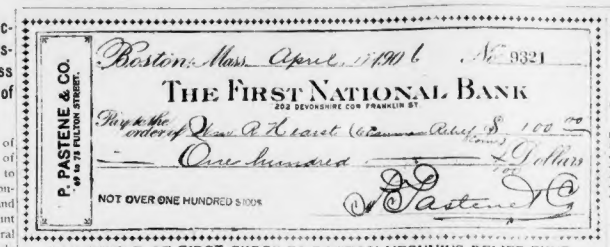
Following the receipt of the telegram the Mayor immediately wrote the following letter:

Mayor's office, Boston, Mass., April 12, 1906.

Count Gustavo Tosti, Italian Consul, 219 Hanover street, Boston:

My Dear Sir: I desire to consult with you at once relative to the part to be taken by this city in aiding the stricken people in the vicinity of Mount Vesuvius in Italy. Kindly communicate with this office at your earliest convenience and I will arrange for a conference. Sincerely yours,

JOHN F. FITZGERALD, Mayor.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## CONTRIBUTIONS FOR VOLCANO VICTIMS

Contributions received or pledged up to date by the Italian Relief Committee thus far aggregate $7,807, contributed as follows:

| BOSTON CONTRIBUTIONS. | | OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| P. Pastene | $100 | New York | $3,652 |
| Representative G. A. Scigliano | 50 | Chicago | 920 |
| Junius T. Auerbach | 50 | San Francisco | 1,005 |
| John B. Moran | 10 | Los Angeles | 1,000 |
| Albiani Bros. | 10 | Paterson, N. J. | 1,000 |
| Joseph Ardini | 5 | | |
| John E. Crowley | 5 | | |
| | $230 | Grand total | $7,807 |

**LYNN ITALIANS TO RAISE MONEY FOR RELIEF WORK**

**Special to the Boston American.**

LYNN, April 13.—Determined that Lynn will do its share toward the relief of the stricken people in the district devastated by the eruptions of Mt. Vesuvius, Mayor C. Neil Barney to-day specially took up the work of raising a large subscription fund. He has appointed Clifton Coburn, cashier of the Lynn Manufacturers' National Bank, treasurer of the fund, and has four his aid as other workers.

Mayor Barney said that he believed that the people of Lynn would be generous.

The cause is a most worthy one," he said, and especial consideration is due Mr. William R. Hearst for his generosity in contributing and his acceptance of the chairmanship of the relief committee. Mr. Hearst and his committee ought to have the co-operation of the whole people in making the fund a handsome one, and Lynn is in this shape."

Mayor Barney has also received a letter of appreciation from Rose Morris Heldman, who has undertaken the organization of the Italian Relief Association of Lynn. A meeting is being arranged for to-night, consisting of Dante Alighieri, American Amidici and Angelo Custodi.

The Italian Naturalization Club will also meet to-night to take a subscription. Other Italian residents of Lynn will contribute to relatives in the stricken districts, and the Lynn work is naturally of keen interest to them.

**Royal**
**Baking Powder**
Pure, healthful, efficient. Leaves neither acid nor alkali in food.

## AMERICANS ARE APPEALED TO IN BEHALF OF STRICKEN ITALY

UPON the people of southern Italy has fallen a great disaster, a calamity which no human forethought could avert. Hundreds, perhaps thousands, of lives have been blotted out. Farms and vineyards have been desolated. Populous villages and towns have been overwhelmed by a molten flood, which drove their people forth to meet the struggle for life with naught save the clothing they caught up in their flight. The wrath of Vesuvius has been poured out upon the peasants and artisans whose homes nestled about its slopes as not before in a century.

Thousands of our Italian fellow citizens have relatives and friends in the devastated district. Ten of thousands who formerly lived within sight of the mouth of Vesuvius are now toiling in the United States, helping to upbuild the industries of this nation, and at the same time adding a valuable element to the patriotic citizenship of America.

Thousands of travelled Americans, who have studied in fear and in wonder the power of nature's forces displayed by this giant volcano, have expressed their profound admiration for the courageous, hard-working peasants living at the foot of the mountain of fire.

Many of these undoubtedly will be glad to testify to their sympathy for these brave neighbors of old Vesuvius, and to prove their sympathy in practical American fashion.

This committee feels that it is the only discharging an obvious and imperative duty in appealing to the people of the United States to contribute of their substance for the aid and comfort of the sufferers from this calamity. Let it be remembered and those affected are chiefly poor peasants, living almost hand to mouth. By this eruption their means of livelihood, their homes, their few cherished possessions were swept away as by a flood of fire.

This is a cause which should invite the co-operation of the charitable; it is a philanthropic purpose which should stimulate the imagination and the sympathy of men. We urge all to contribute according to their means to this end. Contributions sent to this committee will be duly acknowledged and faithfully accounted for.

GUSTAVO TOSTI, Italian Consul.
CHRISTE DeSIMONE, editor Giornale Italiano.
ANDREW A. BADARACCO, ex-Representative.
REPRESENTATIVE GEORGE A. SCIGLIANO.
COUNCILMAMAN JOSEPH SANTOSUOSSO.
JOSEPH De MARCO.
DR. ERRICOA. SCALZILLI.

Send checks payable to Italian Relief Fund, Bank of the Republic, Boston. Contributions will be acknowledged in the BOSTON AMERICAN.

## Women Who Work

**Dr. Greene's Nervura Gives Strength**

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Take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy this spring, for now of all times it is most dangerous to neglect your health, and the system is always made strong and vigorous by this perfect spring medicine.

Remember the great advantage of having your medicine put up by Dr. Greene, a regular practicing physician, who guarantees his Nervura and will stand behind it at all times. Dr. Greene himself will give free consultation and advice, personally or by mail, at his office, 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass., to all who use Nervura, or contemplate its use.

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# Spring Display of Men's Smart Clothes

THE BIG STORE is known among clothes makers as the show place for all that is best in clothes building—Every tailor, great or small, is given the opportunity to show and market the results of his ability, provided it be kept up to the mark of undisputed quality; and only those products of the clothes world which fill the demands of an educated and critical people are represented here.—Our tremendous output and buying capacity enable us to quote the very lowest prices at all times and places within the reach of every modest purse clothes that heretofore were only obtainable by the favored few, and give the earner of the moderate income the means of dressing smartly and well.

## Men's Overcoats

The favorite covert cloth top coat is still the popular outer garment, made in all shades and weaves, also the conservative three-quarter length if you want them 10.00

With the whole world of good clothes makers at our feet there is little wonder why such exceptional garments are displayed always at lower prices 12.00

Among the novelties of the season the smartest overcoat is the French Frock. In the oyster, moonlight and steel shades they are stunners 15.00

Year after year Vorenberg smart clothes hold supremacy which reliability and absolute correctness of style only has given them. Equal to the custom tailor in quality, fit, finish and fashion 18.00

When close fitting Collars, well padded shoulders, clean cut lapels count so much in clothes building, insist on having these points in your garments. Our suits are just bristling with these good things at 20.00

## Men's Suits

It matters not whether the price you pay be high or low, your dollar goes farthest here. Our range of suits at low prices is simply tremendous 10.00

What a relief to find out of the ordinary patterns even at moderate prices. Our styles are exclusive. You will appreciate them 12.00

We can't help laying stress on our $15.00 line of suits. It always was our strong hold, and this season you will find it better than ever 15.00

Right into the field of stunning twilight and steel shades. Close fitting collars, well padded shoulders and garments with the custom tailored individuality 18.00

Our hand tailoring moulds the very life-shape into our garments—made by brainy tailors and thousands of fine stitches. We show ten styles where other stores show one—Our values the greatest in Boston 20.00

**Youth's Smart Clothes**

Our Youths' department is an individual section of our store. Here we cater to the young man from 16 to 21 years, with the snappiest clothes constructed by tailors who build only clothes clothes for young men. Long cut smart coats, broad shoulders, peg top pants at attractive prices.

7.50 10.00 12.00

**Boys' Clothing**

Boys' Top Coats—Made in three shades of the favorite covert cloth, ages 4 to 12 years, $5.00 value 2.98

Child's Double Breasted Reefers—In the tan shades of covert with brass buttons and emblem on sleeves, ages 3 to 10 years 2.98

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**Men's Furnishings**

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Spring GLOVES in the new colors, styles and stitching. Special 98c

Immensely large assortment of NECKWEAR, in smart new four-in-hands 50c

Imported fancy HALF HOSE. Beautifully embroidered in the newest designs 25c

# ALICE COOPER BRAVES ORDEAL ON WITNESS STAND TO SAVE HER NAME

## Modest, Unassuming and Appealing, Young Woman Accused of Charles Northey's Murder Tells Her Story of Events Which Led to Tragedy.

By Eleanor Ames.

Special to the Boston American.

AUGUSTA, Me., April 13.—A slender slip of a woman, dressed all in black, with a touch of white at her throat over the silver emblem of the Christian Endeavor Society, which held her collar, stood in the witness stand today and in a voice somewhat subdued by the nervousness of her, began the story of her life—a story which will go far toward solving her future.

Alice Cooper, wife of Edwin J. Cooper, accused by the State of the murder of Charley Northey, is making a personal fight for everything that has made life worth living—liberty, respect, the restitution of the confidence of her husband, her children and the community in which she makes her home. There is no boldness, no defiance in Alice Cooper's face or attitude. She is modest, unassuming, appealing.

Her cheeks still wear the flush which comes so readily with the slightest excitement. Her great dark eyes now look full at her counsel as he asks her the questions which concern her life, the life she knew Northey, and during her friendship with Miss Libby seek the Bar before her.

### IS SCRUPULOUSLY NEAT.

She is a trim, tidy little figure of a woman, a good, wholesome, everyday sort of a person. Her dress is scrupulously neat, her hands long and strong, well cared for, her hair arranged carefully, with a snug tucking away with combs.

A slender gold chain hangs loose about her neck. Occasionally she picks at it idly.

She is a woman you would think of as a capable housekeeper, a devoted wife and mother, a good executive.

But as a murderer—never. If she is a type of murderer, then so is every third woman she meets in the world, on the thoroughly does she fit in unnoticed with the general run of womankind.

And yet, somewhere there is a setting of the wide mouth, a drawing of the muscles, which denotes a latent power of will and force of determination, which might make of this modest, shrinking little woman a very different individual.

It is a simple story she is telling of when and where she was married, how many children she has, what the routine of her home life was, what was her part in helping for the prosperity of the family.

She is telling of her meeting with Charley Northey, of her talking to him of religion, of her sympathy for him when he was heart-broken by the sudden death.

### Played Peaceful Games.

She is drawing a peaceful word picture of evenings spent in her home, playing games, dominoes and cribbage.

Then she tells of the quiet evening she spent with Northey, and during her friendship with Miss Libby seek the Bar before her.

Edwin Cooper, the husband, can never be accused of indifference.

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family used to go to Sunday school and usually all went to prayer meetings.

"I went to a party at Mr. Allen's that fall. Carley drove me down. That was the first time I ever went anywhere alone with them. The children, Lore and Velma, went to the party and Charley and I went to bring them home. My husband asked me to go so he could not get away.

"They played kissing games at the party and Charley kissed me during one of the games. Nothing was said by Everybody did it during the evening.

### Husband Laid Up.

"My husband was hurt in December and was laid up eight weeks. I took charge of him. Charley sat with him a good deal during the evenings. He played with the children at other times. Once during that time Charley drove me up to see about getting a piano. He was out in the evening. I only went to one prayer meeting during those eight weeks, and that was at our house. Charley and Lore did the chores while my husband was sick.

"Charley left us about a week after my husband got about again. He had stayed longer than he intended because of my husband's injury.

"My husband and I both liked Charley very much. Up to the time he left he never said anything to indicate that he thought more of me than he should.

From the time court opened today until Mrs. Cooper took the stand counsel and the court held a conference in regard to the human brain by the State during Professor Whittier's testimony. Mr. Heath wanted the brain submitted to his experts for examination and the State objected unless Dr. Whittier was present.

After almost an hour spent in conference in the judges room, all returned to the court room and the jury was excluded while the point was argued. The court decided to allow the defense to have the brain, with Professor Whittier present.

### COOPER CHILDREN IN TEARS AS THEY GAVE TESTIMONY

Edwin J. Cooper, on the witness stand in defence of his wife, Alice F. Cooper, yesterday declared that he had advised her to leave home for a time in order that the neighbors might stop their talk about the young man's attentions to her.

"Did you think," asked Attorney General Hamlin, "that your wife's relations with Northey had reached that point where it would be better for her to go away?"

"Yes," replied the husband.

Listening to his every word, occasionally nodding her head in support of what he said, Mrs. Cooper sat in the court-room to-day much improved in spirits since her husband began his testimony. The frank statements of the witness have apparently made a deep impression on the jury, and those who have watched the trial believe that Cooper has materially helped his wife's case.

### TO STOP GOSSIP.

Cooper told the story of his wife's arrangements to go away in a simple, straightforward manner when he took the stand. He said:

"We thought it would be a good, easy way of settling the matter. It was much more on the neighbors' account than on my own. I had no fear that their relations were improper. My wife and I agreed to end it as easily as possible without any disturbance.

"It was decided that eleven-year-old Velma could look after the house.

"After our plans were made, Alice went over to the desk and wrote a letter to the Insane Asylum at Taunton, Mass., asking for work. She read it to me and I went back to work in the shop. She mailed the letter and then joined me in the shop and we continued to plan about the best way to end an affair which had grown to proportions neither of us realized.

Q.—What further conversation, if any, did you have with your wife about her going away to work? Mr. Hamlin objected, but was overruled.

A.—We saw this ad in the Banger Commercial and we thought her going away would be an easy way of settling the matter.

Q.—Where was she when this talk occurred? A.—Sitting on my knee.

### BETTER FOR WIFE TO GO.

Q.—Did you see the reply she received?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did you have a talk with her then?

A.—Yes.

Q.—What was it?

Mr. Hamlin objected and the question was excluded. Mr. Heath took an exception.

"Did you think," asked Mr. Hamlin, "that your wife's relations had reached that stage where you thought she would better go away?"

"Yes, sir," replied the husband.

Q.—Why did you think it better for your wife to go away? A.—I thought I'd rather do most anything to stop this in an easy way. It was on the neighbors' account. I never thought there was anything wrong.

Mr. Heath offered in evidence the blank application received by Mrs. Cooper from the Taunton Insane Asylum. He then offered Mrs. Cooper's letter to the insane hospital, and the State, having withdrawn its objections, read it to the jury.

### PROVED BY RECEIPTS.

Fred Gleason of Union followed Mr. Cooper on the stand. He was called to offset the testimony of George Robbins, who said he left Mr. Gleason's employ last Summer and came to Cooper's Mills, where he saw Northey and Mrs. Cooper together. Mr. Gleason testified that Robbins did not work for him last Summer, but did work for him a year before. Two receipts signed by Robbins were put in evidence to show the dates Robbins quit work.

Frank Cowen, father of Edwin Cooper, was next called. He said:

"My wife and I went to my son Edwin's house on the day Charley Northey died. We ate dinner there. Mrs. Cooper, my daughter-in-law, waited on the table. After dinner I went down to the shop and Charley Northey came in. I did not go into the house after that.

Mr. Cooper said that he met the Mocanges at Jewell's after he left his son's home.

Mrs. Eliza Cooper, Edwin Cooper's mother, was the next witness. She testified:

"On the Saturday night before Charley Northey died I was at my son's house. His wife was not at home when I got there, but came later. That evening we had a talk about getting a toy watch for little Ralph.

### TALKED OF TOY WATCH.

"I was at Leonard Cooper's over Sunday and started for Augusta Monday morning with my daughter Alma. We were in Augusta from 9 a. m. to about 4 p. m. We were bargain hunting all day.

"I saw Alice Cooper on the street in Augusta Monday. It was in the afternoon. She was later to speak with her. We talked about the toy watch and I bought one. I saw Alice in a store on Water street. She was looking at dishes. She left the store before we did. She had some bundles.

"When we left Augusta we went to my daughter's home at Winthrop and the next day I went to my son's house. I got there at 10:30 exactly. I looked at the clock as I went in. We had dinner there. Alice's mother was not here.

"I saw Northey come in. He sat down at the table in the kitchen and began eating."

Q.—Did you have some talk with Alice Cooper in the presence of Northey? A.—I did.

Q.—What was it?

The State objected and the court recovered its decision.

Cross-examined by Mr. Hamlin, Mrs. Cooper said she visited her son frequently.

Q.—You know Northey? A.—Yes; after he went to my son's.

### SAW ALICE IN TOWN.

Q. Did you ever see Northey and Mrs Cooper together? A.—Only at her house.

Q.—You saw Alice Cooper on the street Monday, the day before the tragedy? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—What time was it? A.—About 4 o'clock.

Q.—She had some bundles? A.—Yes, two or three. One was a large one.

Q.—Who first spoke to you about seeing her in Augusta; after the tragedy I mean? A.—I don't know. Mr daughter Alma and I have talked it over since.

Q.—Any one else speak of it? A.—No, sir, except Mr. Heath when he asked me.

Mrs. Alma Cooper, Edwin Cooper's sister, corroborated her mother's testimony.

"My mother was at my house Saturday night before the tragedy. She was there Sunday night also. Monday we came into Augusta. We got into town about 9 o'clock. Mother had some butter and chickens to sell.

"We met Alice Cooper in the afternoon. The first time I saw her in front of one of the dry goods stores. We talked with her. She was carrying some bundles. One was a large one. It looked like a box. We saw her again in Turner's crockery store. Mr. Turner was waiting on her. She was behind a counter looking at dishes.

### LEFT BEFORE THEM.

"She left the store before we did. She picked up her bundles as she went out. I heard a car going by, but I don't know whether she took it. I went in there to buy a shovel for my little boy. I then examined a Mr. Leigh, whom said her father and mother arrived at her house Saturday night about 9 o'clock.

"We sold our produce as soon as we arrived in Augusta. Then we went shopping.

Q.—How many bundles did Alice Cooper have when you met her? A.—She had a box and some other bundles; she had a bundle on her arm.

Q.—How long after that before you met her in Swift & Turners. A.—Perhaps half an hour.

Q.—How long were you in Swift & Turner's with her? A.—Not more than five minutes.

Q.—How long after she left the store did you start for home? A.—Perhaps an hour. Not more I think.

Q.—And you left for home about 3 o'clock? A.—I was later if anything We got home between 4 and 5 o'clock.

Q.—Did you see Alice Cooper after that day? A.—I saw her at Henry Cooper's a couple of weeks after the tragedy.

### DID NOT SPEAK OF IT.

Q.—Did you talk about meeting her in Augusta? A.—I think not.

Q.—When did she speak to you about it. A.—She never spoke to me about it. I saw her at my house in December, but she did not mention it then. She came twice in January with her husband and children, but she talked with me not mentioned.

Q.—When next did you see her? A.—I was at her home just before this trial. I was there during the afternoon and evening. We did not speak of my meeting her in Augusta.

Q.—Did you mean to say she never has spoken to you of that occurrence since then? A.—I don't remember that she ever did.

Edgar A. Hussey, an Augusta hardware merchant, testified that he had known Mrs. Cooper about fifteen years, she having traded at his store.

### ASKED FOR REVOLVERS.

"She was in my store on Monday before Northey's death. She bought some cartridges. She also inquired for revolvers. I showed her our own stock, but she didn't select any. She said the Smith & Wesson I showed her was too expensive.

On cross-examination Mr. Hussey said Mrs. Cooper was in his store in the afternoon.

"She bought the nails first," he said "and then asked for revolvers. Her visit was called to my attention by my bookkeeper and by the sheriff. I fix the date by that and by the date of the tragedy. It was the day before the tragedy that she was in the store. I am positive of that, also was in the store about ten minutes."

Harlon J. Turner, a crockery dealer, was next called.

"I do not know Mrs. Alice Cooper," he said, "but I remember a woman looking for a set of dishes last Fall. I showed her some dishes and I think she purchased the parts of her dinner set that she wanted. She wanted a broken set. I remember she left hurriedly to catch a car."

Mrs. Alma Cooper identified Mr. Turner as the one who was waiting on Alice Cooper when she saw her in the store.

### THE BLUEBERRY TRIP.

Questioned by Mr. Heath, Lore Cooper said:

"I attended the King's Daughters apron sale at Cooper's Mills last summer. I drove my mother over from home, played with the boys during the evening and came home with my mother. Charley Northey came with us as far as the corner. A mile from the hall, and there he left us and went home. I rode his wheel to the corner and then got into the hack and drove from there."

Velma told about the blueberry trip on which Mrs. Drake went, he said.

"Mrs. Drake, Mrs. Drake, Velma, mamma and Charley. We picked Charley up at the blueberry patch and I was in the hammock at the pasture. He and Velma went for a while. Mamma was, too. I climbed on the berry bush where the hammock was swung and picked berry pails and threw them at Charley and mamma. Velma was there, too, playing around. Mrs. Drake was picking berries on the other side of the fence.

"I didn't see Charley's arm under my mother's head.

### NO CROSS-EXAMINATION.

"When I went to pick berries they were on the hammock and Velma was with them. Mamma was picking berries part of the afternoon. Charley was in the hammock with Velma part of the time. I went home first. I rode Charley's wheel home.

There was no cross-examination.

Velma was called next. She said:

"I was at school the day Charley died. Lore and I were not at home to dinner. Mamma drove us to school that morning. She used to drive the children to school.

"I was in the grange ice cream supper last night. I went with mamma and Dunforth Drake and his wife. They played games there. I didn't play. I watched them. Mamma was sitting side of me. Charley Northey and Daisy Kennedy sat there, too.

"I saw Marian Clay, Rosie Clifford and Percy French playing 'chase the squirrel.' Rosie Clifford, Marian Clay and Marian Carey played with Percy French.

Rosie Clifford and Marian Carey told me to ask Charley to play, and I did, but he would not. I told Rosie Doe I used to get Charley to play, but he wouldn't.

### GAVE CHARLEY A FLOWER.

"Mamma wore a boquet that evening and she gave Charley a bud out of it. Rosie Doe noticed him when he got the boquet. When we went home Charley didn't go with us."

## A Lesson for Wives and Mothers

"Granting that Alice Cooper's worst crime was the foolish yielding to a passing fancy for an infatuated boy, still the stain of suspicion has spread until not one member of the family, not even her innocent children, have escaped. What a lesson to wives and mothers there is in this strange trial of a hitherto unknown woman away up here in Maine."—*Eleanor Ames on the Cooper Trial.*

## DIVORCE AND SONS FOR WIFE

An absolute decree of divorce from Joshua Blake Langley of Denver was awarded to-day to Annie Foiger Langley of West Medford by Judge Pessecden in the Superior Court at East Cambridge. The decree carries with it the custody of two young sons and alimony of $20 a month. The defendant in the action was formerly a resident of Medford, and was connected with the Old Colony Trust Company. In the libel the name of Miss Eva Thomas, a former pupil at the New England Conservatory of Music, is mentioned.

## PRINTERS WIN VICTORY OVER CITY DIRECTORY

The Boston Typographical Union won a victory in the Equity Session of the Superior Court to-day when Judge Fox refused to grant an injunction restraining its members from organizing among themselves or with others to injure Sampson & Murdock, publishers of the Boston City Directory, of customers entering into contracts with the plaintiff.

This decision is an aftermath of the printers' fight for an eight-hour day, which Sampson & Murdock refused to grant to its employees.

For the Boston Typographical Union appeared Thomas M. Nolan, David X. Coughlan and Secretary Henry Siedling, with George F. Anderson appearing as counsel.

Sampson & Murdock asked for an injunction, first enjoining the Typographical Union from interfering with the directory company's business by circulating letters and printed matter, signed by Thomas M. Nolan, and directed against the Boston City Directory. This injunction was granted by Judge Fox, but before the granting of the injunction the circulars had been distributed.

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Scotch mixtures, in gray and dark mixed suiting, cut single and double breasted.
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Gray plaid and worsted mixtures, blue serge, etc., tailored inside and outside better than most $10.00 suits.
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# DEATH OR PRISON FOR TUCKER?

## *American Readers Discuss His Fate*

**Public Interest in Young Man's Fate Shown in Letters Received Daily.**

**Contest for Photos of Governor Guild Is Keen—A Word of Warning.**

Interest in the fate of Charles L. Tucker and public discussion of whether he should or should not have his sentence of death commuted by Governor Guild to life imprisonment continues to increase daily, judging from the hundreds of letters received by the "Tucker Editor" of the BOSTON AMERICAN every day.

It is the all-absorbing topic which continues to last from day to day, outside of the various other matters of general interest.

Do you think Tucker should go to the chair?

Do you think he should be sent to prison for life?

The BOSTON AMERICAN prints daily a blank petition to Governor Guild for you to fill out and return to the "Tucker Editor." Be careful, by crossing out the words "Be" or "Be not," to specifically indicate your opinion in this question which means life or horrible death to the condemned young man.

Out of the many letters sent in the "Tucker Editor" will print the five best ones every day, those giving the most convincing arguments one way or the other. To the writers of these letters a magnificent photograph of Governor Guild, the "man who will decide the case," will be mailed.

These photographs are twelve by fifteen inches in size and are from the Purdy studio. They are masterpieces of the photographer's art, and make an acceptable adornment for the home of any citizen, especially one of the State where Governor Guild is chief magistrate.

The Tucker Editor warns you again, be sure to cross out either "Be" or "Be not" from the petition coupon in order that your vote may not be futile.

### To His Excellency Curtis Guild, Jr.,

**Governor of Massachusetts:**

*I, the undersigned, respectfully pray that the sentence of Charles L. Tucker to death by electrocution* be / be not *commuted to imprisonment for life.*

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Cross out the words BE or BE NOT.

Cut this out, sign it, and send it to the Tucker Editor, Boston American.

All of these petitions, whether for or against Tucker, will be forwarded to Governor Guild.

## *PRIZE WINNING LETTERS.*

Here are the five most convincing letters received in to-day's mail. To the writers of each the BOSTON AMERICAN will forward a large photograph of Governor Guild.

### SAYS TUCKER SHOULD DIE.

TUCKER EDITOR:

The jury that sat in judgment during the trial of Tucker were carefully selected, not only by the representatives of the Commonwealth, but also by the defendant, directed by learned and experienced counsel. They proved their qualification for the important duty they were called upon to perform by close and careful attention to all the evidence submitted to them. They rendered a verdict accordingly. To say that there was no evidence sufficient to convict, or that the verdict was not according to evidence, is, to say the least, an assertion too ridiculous for serious notice. I would much prefer the intelligence of any of the jurors to that of any that has, as yet, asserted that "verdict was not according to evidence." He was tried by twelve honest, able, intelligent and conscientious men, men of whom this Commonwealth is, and may truly be, proud. As to the eminent and learned jurists who presided at that trial, no one person will for one moment question their fairness and sound judgment, which has been so repeatedly affirmed by the highest court in the land.

Having been fairly tried, all his rights sacredly safeguarded, he was found guilty, proved by conclusive evidence to have been the one man of the multitude of men to cruelly and cowardly murdered Mabel Page, in her quiet home in Weston. He should suffer the full penalty of the law. I hope that His Excellency Governor Guild will let the law take its course.

J. R. MacNEIL.

Roxbury, Mass.

### ENTERS A PROTEST.

TUCKER EDITOR:

I must express my gratitude to the BOSTON AMERICAN for offering an opportunity to the people of making known their views on so vital a subject. Circumstantial evidence should never be allowed to send a man to death. The proceedings of this case should be an object lesson to all young men to remember that "whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

Charles L. Tucker sowed his share of wild oats, as many another young man has done. He is now reaping the harvest, "a victim of circumstance, charged with murder." To condemn a citizen to death is a crime even greater than the murder of Mabel Page, and on these grounds alone every man worthy the title "American citizen" should protest against the electrocution. CLINTON R. PETERS.

No. 34 Portland street, Boston.

### "RELIC OF BARBARISM."

TUCKER EDITOR:

Circumstantial evidence, which convicted Tucker, may yet be fallible, as has been shown in a number of cases; with all due respect to judge and jury. Capital punishment is a relic of barbarism and only legalized murder. One crime does not wipe out another. And statistics do not show that crime generally has been diminished through capital punishment. Even if guilty his sentence should be commuted to life imprisonment, where he might repent and work out his salvation, for what good would be done by hurting us sent into eternity, to confront his Maker with the stain of guilt upon it? Therefore he should be given his life that he may expiate his crime, if guilty.

MRS. BERTHA L. PARKER.

No. 6 Sawyer street, Malden

### HOPES ANOTHER CHANCE

TUCKER EDITOR:

Inasmuch as circumstantial evidence has resulted in grave wrongs against the protection and freedom of our citizens in the past, we should be careful lest history should repeat itself in our commonwealth when such a sacred thing as a human life is at stake. We should have facts, not circumstances or opinions, to deprive Tucker of his life or freedom. I have followed the trial of Tucker from the first to the present time.

I believe him innocent. I hope his Excellency the Governor will see the doubt there is as to Tucker's guilt in the minds of some of the best citizens in the State, and may he be guided by Him who will judge us all, to commute his sentence to life imprisonment that Tucker may have a chance to prove his innocence at some later date. ANDREW GUNNIS.

New Bedford, Mass.

### LET THE SENTENCE STAND.

TUCKER EDITOR:

I cannot believe Governor Guild is the man to be so far influenced by the efforts being made in behalf of Charles L. Tucker as to nullify the work of the jury and courts that have handled the case. Nothing could warrant such action on the part of the Governor but the presentation of new and conclusive evidence of Tucker's innocence, and nothing of that nature has been produced. The Tucker jury was of normal intelligence and sanity, and their verdict, acquiesced in by the presiding judge and affirmed by the higher court—all agreeing that beyond a reasonable doubt Charles L. Tucker murdered Mabel Page—should stand. As against such a verdict, no affirmed, no opinion or number of opinions, based on reports of the trial, or occasional attendance at the trial, should have any weight. Furthermore, arguments from those opposed to capital punishment have no place in this discussion, for capital punishment is the law of the State, and as such should be respected and executed to the letter. In a case of such enormity as this, appeal for clemency on merely sentimental grounds should be given no consideration whatever, but exact justice should be dealt out.

MRS. J. W. FLANDERS.

92 Brighton avenue, Boston.

### STRIKE OF FRENCH POSTMEN EXTENDING

PARIS, April 13.—The strike of the postmen, which was inaugurated here on Wednesday, is extending. The postmen in many of the provincial towns have joined the movement. Telegraph messengers are also on strike.

### MOTHER AND SON HELD FOR MURDER

NEW HAVEN, April 13.—The grand jury yesterday indicted Mrs. Ida F. Jennings and her son Herbert W. Taylor, for the murder of Joseph E. Jennings, the husband of the woman and the stepfather of Taylor.


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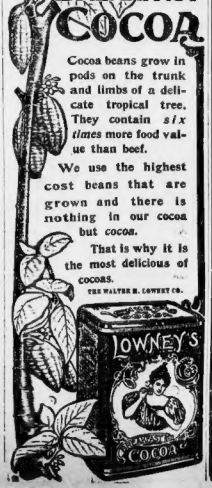
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Misses' Eton Suits, in all the most exclusive and up-to-date effects, made up in men's suitings, broadcloth, serge and chiffon panama, in all the latest and most desirable shades, lined with best quality taffeta, new short, tucked sleeve, circular skirt, 14 to 18 years, 32 to 36 bust, special at $25.00.

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Men's $1.50 Negligee Shirts

100 Dozen in the Lot — 95c Each — All 1906 Designs

These negligee shirts were not made to sell at 95c, but at $1.50, and the manufacturer who made them supplies the Siegel stores with a great share of their high grade shirts—shirts that retail for from $1.50 to $2.50. We know the goods and we know the maker and have no hesitancy in saying that they embody the best of skilled workmanship in the cutting and sewing, while the designs, stripes, figures and plain colors are as attractive as any we have seen. You may have your choice of 95c pleated or plain fronts, attached or detached cuffs. There are also included, at the same price, 50 dozen plain white madras shirts, with self-figure designs, cuffs attached. These are also $1.50 shirts. Choice of all 95c. 95c

Men's Stylish Neckwear for Easter

Men's Four-in-Hands, in new, rich effects, such as steel gray and French poplin. Saturday at..... 48c

Men's Neckwear, in light and medium colors, new wash effects in plain colors, four-in-hands. Saturday at 25c

Men's Underwear and Half Hose

Men's jersey ribbed Shirts and Drawers in ecru or salmon, shirts have long sleeves, drawers are double-seated, all sizes..... 39c

Men's balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; drawers with double seat and suspender tapes, value 50c a garment 37½c

Men's Half Hose, plain black lisle or fancy embroidered lisle and plain colors, 35c value, a pair..... 25c



Another Allotment of $7.50 to $8.50 Hats at $5.00

We have another thousand $7.50 trimmed hats, including nobby sailors, in black and white effects, pyroxeline, chip and java hoods, bent and twisted into becoming shapes and Yedda straw braid shapes, in a great variety of styles. Some of the hats are trimmed with wings and quills, beautiful lilacs and soft roses. All colors and every good style of the season represented. And yet our Saturday price is $5.00. $5

Ready-to-Wear Hats

Ready-to-Wear Street Hats, in all colors and in all the new jaunty sailor effects, at

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Misses' and Children's Hats

Never since we established the juvenile millinery section have the displays been so complete as now, and nowhere will you find as artistically trimmed hats as are being shown in this store.

Children's and Misses' Trimmed Hats at $3.75, $5.00, $6.75, $7.50 up to $12.00

100 dozen Children's Leghorn Hats will be sold Saturday, each 65c.

100 dozen Children's Cuban Straw Hats, with the large bell crowns, each 95c.

# "THEY SAY I KILLED MY DAUGHTER; BUT THEY LIE," DECLARES AGED EDWARD PAGE

**Father of Murdered Girl for the First Time Speaks in Answer to Attacks.**

EDWARD PAGE'S HOME AND PHOTOGRAPH SHOWING HOW HE AND MISS ROBERTS ATTEMPTED TO AVOID PUBLIC ATTENTION DURING THE TUCKER TRIAL.

Edward Page of Weston, father of murdered Mabel Page, has opened his mouth to the public for the first time in fourteen months. Old, feeble, shaken, he seizes the opportunity given him by the BOSTON AMERICAN to say:

"They accuse me of killing my daughter, but they—they—they LIE!"

By "they" he refers to the anonymous letters that have been received by him. Yet in another breath he figuratively denies that there have been any letters. And then he says he must not talk at all, because his attorney has advised him not to.

There have been threatening letters. Amy Roberts, the servant who has shared the Page fortunes since long before Mabel Page came to her horrible death, told the reporter so. She gave even the details of one of them—a letter written in a woman's hand and postmarked Fitchburg.

"It said that if Tucker was killed a mob would surround this house and do no harm," she told the BOSTON AMERICAN reporter. "This was the worst letter of all, and it was addressed to me."

It was an unusual thing for Edward Page to talk with a reporter, or anybody outside of his immediate family, physician and guard. Since the morning after Charles Louis Tucker's conviction he had not breathed a word to anyone about the case.

**Has Grown Older Rapidly.**

He was a trembling old man at the time of the trial. Since then he has aged rapidly. The neighbors say he is perceptibly failing. The threatening letters frighten and bewilder him. Every effort is being taken by those surrounding him to prevent him from being disturbed.

Amy Roberts, her hand and foot against the lightly ajar door, her sharp eyes studying coldly at the outset, sees to it faithfully that no one gains into the house whom her master does not want to see.

Dr. Alfred Worcester of Waltham calls twice a week, looks at the old man, talks with him, leaves medicine if necessary, and goes away.

Deputy Sheriff McAuliffe of Weston comes daily. He is a welcome visitor. Sometimes, on fair days when Mr. Page is feeling unusually well, he takes a drive with the officer. There is an arrangement whereby if any intruder should trail the house a telephone message will call Mr. McAuliffe as fast as the fastest horse in his livery stable will bring him.

These, besides the members of his family, are all the people Edward Page will see.

But for the stories that have been printed about the letters that have come to the Page house and the haunted sleeplessness of the old man, he would not have seen or talked with the BOSTON AMERICAN reporter yesterday.

**Propped Up With Pillows.**

Comfortably propped with pillows in a great armchair wheeled before an open fireplace where two large logs burned lazily, he at first spoke in a figure of speech that appeared to deny the story about the letters.

"I know the papers say I have got letters," he said, with the careful hesitation of age, "but it's like this. Suppose John Jones put a piece in the paper that Maria Smith told him that she saw a letter in nobody else's possession that said so-and-so. Eh? That's the way it is."

The worst letter was dated at Fitchburg, Mass., said Amy Roberts. "It was addressed to me, and it was in a woman's handwriting. It is said that if Tucker was acquitted a mob would surround this house and burn it."

"I suppose you would like to ask me a few questions," said Mr. Page, taking up the conversation. "But I mustn't answer them. No, I mustn't answer them. My counsel has warned me strictly—not to say anything to anybody about this case."

His eyes wandered to a photograph of murdered daughter on the mantel above the fireplace. It was as though in the face of that picture brought back to him what he could not keep silent.

"They accuse me of killing my daughter, I tell you," he cried out, "but they—they lie!" He leaned as though searching for the right word. "They LIE!" He half raised himself from his pillows and his whole frame trembled terribly and pathetically as he made the denunciation.

**Refuses to Talk of Tucker.**

"Who did kill her?" asked the reporter. "Is not Tucker guilty?"

"I guess you won't get any answer to that. Oh, no. Oh, no. I mustn't talk any more." His snowy head was shaking with emotion. There was a wild, frightened look in his eyes. "No. No. Not any more," he repeated, as he shook hands with the reporter.

All the neighbors say that the threatening letters have frightened Mr. Page very much. And they are puzzled as to who could have sent them.

Mrs. Harris, the nearest neighbor and a close friend of the family, says: "It is scandalous to send this poor old man such terrible letters. The people who sent them must be crazy. He is old and ill, and cannot live long.

"You'll have to go outside the town of Weston to find the people that send them," said Mrs. Caldwell, another neighbor. "There is nobody here bad enough to send such letters to anybody."

"No one should be taken of them," said Mrs. Wheatly, another. "But I suppose Mr. Page is so old and so wrought up that it affects him very much. It is bad to worry the poor old man so."

Deputy Sheriff McAuliffe arrived in the neighborhood while the reporter was there. "If anybody without right trespasses upon this property, he will be punished so far as I can punish him," he said. "I am determined to protect Mr. Page from anybody and everybody."


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## SAYS HE IS DEAD AND BRINGS BODY TO JAIL

ATLANTA, Ga., April 13.—Believing that he died last Thursday, and that he is no more of this world, Alonzo Jones has asked the police to lock him in a cell. He was accommodated. "I have here a body of flesh and bone," he said, "but it is a dead body." Friends of the young man say that he has done nothing but study religion since the first of March.


## TERRIBLE ITCHING SCALP HUMOR

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ANOTHER SPEEDY CURE BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

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"I used them according to directions, and soon noticed a difference; the tiny sores on my scalp began to heal, the itching stopped, and my hair began to grow thick. I have used only the one cake of Soap, one box of Ointment, and one vial of Pills, and now I have no humor on my scalp and my hair is soft and silky. I cannot say enough in praise of Cuticura. I hope this letter may be the means of helping some one. (signed) Miss Mayzie C. Atkins, Box 32, East Orleans, Mass. Mar. 19, 1905."

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### Men's Overcoats and Spring Suits, $7 to $25.

Very attractive are the styles in Men's Clothing for Easter. The fabrics are varied in pattern and very fine in quality. The fashion is the latest and the workmanship superior to most of the made-to-wear tailors.

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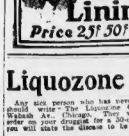

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# DOWIE SPURNS PENSION; WILL FIGHT TO LAST

CHICAGO, April 12—Incensed at the publicity given the report that he had become a party to compromise measures and stood ready to divest himself of the retaining rights of his ecclesiastical prestige for a monetary consideration, John Alexander Dowie has rejected the terms of peace offered him by Voliva.

His lawyers are preparing a bill in chancery, petitioning the courts to set aside the transfer of the property made between General Overseer Voliva and Deacon Alexander Granger because the power of attorney was revoked two days before the transfer was made.

This move is due to the refusal of the "rebels" to give him $525,000 to retire to a foreign clime and relinquish all his interests in Zion. Voliva made a counter proposition to pay him $100 a month.

This answer enraged Dowie. He sent a peremptory demand upon Voliva to retire and acknowledge under his signatures that all charges made against Dowie were untrue. He also demanded that his wife and son sign similar statements. Voliva made no reply.

Dowie has secured an order from the postal department directing that all mail addressed to him be delivered to him in Chicago. This, it is said, will checkmate the general order sent out by Voliva, ordering that no moneys be remitted to Dowie hereafter.

A score of children who were named after Dowie have been given new names.

The household effects in Dowie's Summer home, Ben Mac Dhui, at White Lake, Mich., were sold at auction by Voliva to-day to "raise needed funds." They brought $2,300, although worth $20,000.

John L. Sullivan contributed to the gayety of the Dowie imbroglio to-day by wiring from Decatur, Ill., an offer of $2,000 a week for Dowie to join him in vaudeville. The offer was apparently made in good faith, but it did not reach Dowie, his attendants fearing it would cause him to explode.

# COAL TRUST HEARING HAS BEEN POSTPONED

## APPEAL FROM OLIN'S DECISION ON EXTORTION GOES OVER TILL WEDNESDAY.

By agreement of counsel, Judge Aiken of the Superior Court this morning postponed the hearing on the appeal of the Metropolitan Coal Company from suspension of its license by Secretary Olin until Wednesday next. The action of Secretary Olin was upon the petition of Ernest I. Jackson, a reporter of the BOSTON AMERICAN, who charged that the trust was guilty of extortion.

The evidence presented by the BOSTON AMERICAN, through Attorney J. T. Auerbach, proved conclusively that the raise in the prices of all coal made by the trust, in view of the coal strike, was not based on reasonable ground.

### Cost Not Raised.

The testimony brought out that the coal operators had not raised the price of coal to the Boston Trust, but, notwithstanding this, the Metropolitan Coal Company inaugurated the new schedule of prices.

Judge Aiken, at the opening of court today, called Attorney Auerbach, representing the petitioner; Judge Dunbar and Attorney H. G. Allen, representing the Metropolitan Coal Company, into his private office. After a short conference it was announced that the hearing had been postponed until Wednesday.

Among those present at the court house was William H. Wood, manager of the Brighton coal Company, who said to a

### No Just Reason.

BOSTON AMERICAN reporter:

"Of course, it is every man for his individual business, but I cannot see any just reason for raising the price at this time. My customers pay the same for coal now as before. I am taking no new customers, but I can supply the old ones.

"I can get coal enough for the actual needs of my customers at the old price. So, I believe, can the others."

Assurances have been given by Manager M. H. Kloss of the Boston Coal Company that he does not consider it just to charge the new scale of prices to old customers, and he is not following the lead of the Metropolitan company.

The John Dolan Coal Company of New Ton gives the same sort of assurances. The Batchelder Brothers' company has gone back to the old scale of prices in Medford. Its yards head is the sign of watering on the part of coal dealers who were expected to follow the lead and raise the prices. Many dealers, big and small, are quietly taking care of their customers' immediate needs at old prices.

## BABY NEWSBOY CRUSHED BY CAR

While crying papers that he had borrowed from a newsboy, little four-year old Johnny Morris, son of Michael Morris of No. 170 D street, South Boston, was knocked down and run over by an electric car on Sixth street early last evening. His legs were crushed so badly that he would have bled to death at once but for a bystander. Mr. Cowing, who held the child together with his hands until assistance arrived.

The boy was taken to the Carney hospital, where both legs were amputated. It is thought that he will die.

### ENGLISHMEN NOT IN IT.

It has been noted as a curious fact that at the present time no party in the English House of Commons is led by an Englishman. The Prime Minister, the leader of the opposition and the leader of the Labor party are Scots, and the Irish and Welsh contingents, of course, have their own leaders.

# LABOR UNIONS CONDEMN COX

LAWRENCE, April 12—The Central Labor Union, of Lawrence, representing forty-four trades unions, is determined to keep up its fight against the State senators who voted against the overtime Bill. At a meeting last night it adopted a series of resolutions condemning Louis S. Cox, senator from the district. In part, the resolutions say:

"Resolved that the action of the Senate is condemned, and that the neglect of duty upon the part of Louis S. Cox meets with the strong disapproval of this body, as well as organized labor generally." Congressman Ames was called upon to-night to draw his support of Senator Cox for post master of Lawrence.

# TEDDY, JR., IN THE MILE RUN

Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., is a candidate for honors in the one-mile run to-day, when the handicap games at Harvard are run off at the Stadium. There are forty-three others in the event, but those who know his record at other schools declare he stands a good chance of winning.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

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# JUMP IN ICE HITS THE POOR

fee will cost $1 more a ton, or five cents a hundredweight, in Greater Boston this Summer. The new scale is arranged, as usual, so that the poor man gets the hard of fish, shortly before 2 o'clock this morning. est bargain.

The scale, to go into effect Monday, will be $4 a ton, if bought in ton lots or over. From that the price increases in proper tion as the quantity bought decreases. If a poor tenement dweller buys a 25-pound lump it will cost 15 cents. This at the cheerful rate of $12 per ton. The new scale in detail is:

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| 25 lbs. ice | $ .15 |
| 50 lbs. ice | .25 |
| 100-200 lbs. | .35 per 100 lbs. |
| 200-500 lbs. | .40 per 100 lbs. |
| 500-1,000 lbs. | .45 per 100 lbs. |
| 1,000-2,000 lbs. | .50 per 100 lbs. |
| 2,000 and over | .50 per 100 lbs. |
| Block ice | .40 per 100 lbs. |

### BROKE LEG IN ESCAPING FIRE.

READSBORO, Vt., April 12—At the burning of the $11,000 Goodell Hotel yesterday Ellis of Milton, Mass., saved his life by jumping from a second-story ing of her husband's death, stating that window, breaking a leg. he had made away with himself.

# FISHING VESSEL FAST ON ROCKS

The fishing schooner Massachusetts, from Boston, went on the rocks of Ram's Head, near Lowell's Island, with 35,000 pounds of fish, shortly before 2 o'clock this morning. The schooner carries a crew of eighteen men, who remained aboard. Captain John Carrol came to Boston on the steamer Vinalhaven, leaving there this forenoon. If the weather is severe storm blew down the tree on which clear this afternoon and to-night the vessel hung the note written by Mary Rogers the can be floated off.

## MARY ROGERS LETTER TREE BLOWN DOWN

Special to the Boston American.

BENNINGTON, Vt., April 13.—The late severe storm blew down the tree on which hung the note written by Mary Rogers the day she disappeared from home, and which he had made away with himself.

## SAY MISSING LINKS MUST BE DEPORTED

Alleging that the "missing links" which arrived on the Westerfels yesterday with an aggregation of circus performers from the Orient are nothing but malformed idiots, the immigration officials at this port have ordered their deportation.

Hagenbeck's Circus, to which the Hindoo performers are consigned, say they will appeal to the President.

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For Easter—and the rest of this spring and several others you may want a top-coat that's right. Not almost right, but absolutely right.

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**Chesterfield Overcoats,** cut 42 inches long, in black and oxford cheviots.

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A purchase of Chesterfield coats or dressy Topcoats, that would be good values at $15, but as a special attraction at **$10**
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**Pilgrim Patent Oxfords.**
Several very attractive models. One a patent calf skin blucher on the new college swing last. Another of colt skin in button style, medium toe, dull calf skin top. These are ..... **3.50**

**Pilgrims in Gun Metal Calf.**
This popular leather is shown in blucher oxfords—full, medium and narrow toe lasts. Also button and regular lace low shoes on the new college last. Handsome shoes at ..... **3.50**

**Pilgrim Pedestrian Pumps.**
The fad for young men is the street pump. Neat, snappy last with medium toe, Goodyear welted soles. In Gun Metal Calf and Tan Russia Calf at ..... **3.50**

**Pilgrim Wax Calf Oxfords.**
With many, the old reliable wax calf skin is the favorite leather. One notable style in this material has a full toe and Goodyear welted heavy or medium weight soles. Price ..... **3.00**

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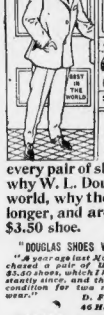


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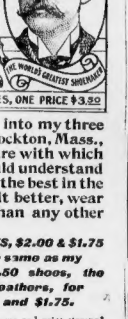


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# LABOR NEWS

ALLIED PRINTING TRADES LABOR COUNCIL BOSTON, MASS. 96

The proposed building trades section of the Central Labor Union was again considered by the Carpenters' District Council at last night's meeting. Definite action was deferred until the next meeting. The matter was addressed by Frank H. McCarthy, Arthur M. Huddell and Carl W. Olin, a subcommittee representing the Central Labor Union committee of twenty-five on the proposed section.

Many of the delegates to the carpenters' council confer this forenoon on a branch of the International Structural Alliance in his city rather than to join hands with the Central Labor Union in the proposed section. There are many things in connection with the section which do not suit the council. One of the objections made is that it would be too expensive for such a large organization as the carpenters, who has thirty-two branches affiliated with it.

Edmund Ward, business agent of the Brewery Workers' Union, spoke on the strike of the bottlers for nine hours' work. The strike was indorsed, and the delegates instructed to notify the members of their respective locals not to purchase beer bottled by unfair firms. Which the Master Carpenters' Association, in regard to drawing up working rules for the coming year, is said that the rules had been drawn up, but as there are some things that have not been cleared by the council's committee, there will be a little delay. The committee was warned against an imposter who is soliciting advertisements for an alleged directory of union carpenters.

It was decided that the members of Marlboro carpenters' Union had entered into an agreement with the employers by which they receive an increase of five cents a day, making the daily wage $3. A committee also reported that the Hood Milk Company in regard to employing non-union labor on a building in Charlestown. In regard to a non-union wood finish being used on a building in Charlestown, it was reported that the subcontractor could do nothing in the matter. The union carpenters, how-

# THREATENED TO KILL PRESIDENT, IS DEPORTED

Noted Anarchist Taken From Prison and Run Out of Country.

**Special to the Boston American.**

WASHINGTON, April 13.—For threatening to assassinate the President of the United States on sight, a noted Italian anarchist was deported from New York within the last month and sent back to Italy. He served a short term in prison in San Francisco for a misdemeanor, and while in prison threatened to kill or assassinate President Roosevelt when he was released.

Immediately before the expiration of his term of imprisonment he announced his plan to his threats and intentions, and he declared under oath that as soon as he gained his liberty that he would proceed to Washington and assassinate the President. Consequently, he was not released, but when his term expired he was turned over to the immigration authorities, who sent him to New York under guard and sent back to Italy.

This man is a notorious Anarchist known in Europe and America.

Another notorious Anarchist is now in the United States, and there are a large number of Anarchists on file who are well known located in the large cities of this country. They have been coming here from Italy for some months. The name and description of this notorious Anarchist published to the immigration officials, and a error of inspection in the police and the large cities have been notified to look out for him. He is supposed to be in Italy now, which is rapidly becoming a bed of anarchism.

Since the assassination of President McKinley the secret service powers have kept close watch of the movements of known anarchists, and when they depart from one country the officials of the nation to which they go are notified. For some unknown reason the United States made no notification regarding the notorious anarchist for whom the police are now looking.

## DEATH NOTICES.

ADAMS—In Charlestown, April 11, Martha C., wife of Horatio W. Adams, aged 70 years.
Funeral services at her late residence, No. 11 Monument sq., Friday, April 13, at 2 p. m.
Relatives and friends invited to attend without further notice. Burial Mount Auburn, Cambridge, Mass., papers please copy.

BARRY—In South Boston, April 12, Mary A., widow of Thomas Barry, aged 67 years.
Funeral from her late residence, 7 Dorchester st., Saturday, April 14, at 1 p. m. Services at St. Peter and Paul's Church at 2 p. m.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Interment in New Calvary.

CLOUGHERTY—In South Boston, April 11, Sarah Jane, widow of Thomas Clougherty, late of Jermain p. Clougherty, 47 Dorchester st., aged 72 years.
Funeral from her late residence, Friday, April 14, at 10 a. m. Services at St. Augustine's Church at 10:30 a. m.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Portland, Me., papers please copy.

DORAN—In Roxbury, April 11, Mary, widow of William Doran, formerly of Bangor, Me., aged 77 years. Funeral from her son's residence, 9 Whitney st., Thursday, at 9 a. m. Services at St. Patrick's Church at 10 a. m.
Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend. Burial in Holyhood.

FLYNN—In Charlestown, April 12, Catherine Flynn.
Funeral from her late residence, 20 Monument sq., Saturday, April 14, at 8:30 a. m. Services at St. Francis de Sales Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

HORIGAN—In Charlestown, April 10, Ellen M., beloved wife of Jeremiah F. Horrigan.
Funeral from her late residence, 1 Bunker Hill st., Friday, April 13, at 1:30 p. m. Services at St. Mary's Church at 2 p. m.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Burial Woodlawn. Please omit flowers.

KELLER—In Roxbury, April 10, Michael R., husband of Ellen Keller, 30 yrs.
Funeral from his late residence, 52 Magazine st., Friday, April 13, at 10 a. m. Services at St. Patrick's Church at 10:30 a. m.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

SULLIVAN—In Somerville, April 12, James, beloved husband of Mary A. Sullivan, 49 yrs.
Funeral from his late residence, 16 Mitchell st., Saturday, April 14, at 10 a. m. Services at St. Ann's Church at 10:30 a. m.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

WELCH—In Lancaster, Pa., April 9, Stephen Welch, 82 yrs., formerly of the South End, Boston.
Funeral from the residence of his brother, Daniel J. Welch, 15 Bessley pl., Charlestown, Friday, April 13, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

## FOR SALE.

ALBEE'S LIST of stores, store and office to rent, etc., for sale. this page every out. 30 Blackstone.

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# WHOLE WORLD OF SPORTS COVERED FOR THE BOSTON AMERICAN BY ITS CORPS OF EXPERTS

## TENNEY'S SMILE WHICH MAY SPUR HIS MEN ON TO MANY VICTORIES THIS SEASON

## FLAHERTY AND SIDNEY DRAW

LOWELL, April 13.—Before the Oxindle City Athletic Club Fred Sidney of Boston boxed Martin Flaherty of Lowell ten rounds to a draw. Sidney was very shifty and used his left effectively. He showed to superior advantage in long range fighting, while Flaherty was stronger on the infighting.

## LOWE AND MACK DRAW.

BALTIMORE, April 13.—Tommy Lowe of Washington and Young Mack of Chester, Pa., fought fifteen rounds to a draw before the New Era A. C. The battle was of the hurricane order.

## SCHRECK WILL MEET GARDNER AT LINCOLN A. C.

Mike Schreck and George Gardner will meet at the Lincoln A. C., Chelsea, April 19, at 150 pounds, 3 p. m., for decision.

These men have met once, at Salt Lake City, when Schreck knocked Gardner out in the twentieth round after a desperate slugging contest.

Schreck will leave Chicago Saturday and will finish his training at Chelsea. He is confident he can duplicate his former victory.

### KEYES OUTPOINTED.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Bert Keyes of Philadelphia was outpointed by Jack Goodman of New York in a fast bout at the Longacre A. C.

## EX-CHAMPS ON WAY TO GOTHAM

By staff correspondent of the Boston American with the team.

COLUMBUS, O., April 12.—Jimmy Collins and his Boston Americans left here at 8:20 last night for New York, where they open the season to-morrow. They were defeated by Columbus in a sensational finish, but they took the matter as a joke. With the score a tie in the ninth, Dickering hit the ball into a hole in the fence, scoring the winning tally on a home run.

Collins says that Young, if he is in condition, will pitch the opening game at New York. Young was not in Columbus, having gone from Louisville to his home at Newcomerstown, O., where he was picked up last night.

Taunehill joined the team yesterday, after seeing the folks at Covington, Ky.

The twenty-four men here were all carried to New York, and no releases were reported.

"Kip" Selbach, being a Columbus man, and a favorite here in more ways than one, was the cynosure of every eye at the park yesterday. He received a handsome bunch of flowers from appreciating friends, and responded by cracking out a triple at once.

"Tell the people in Boston we are all in good shape," said Collins, "that's about all there is to be said. They know what all of the boys have been doing in the South, and I guess we will be ready for the fray once more.

Yesterday's game was a red hot affair, and it was only on one of the most unusual plays that the locals won out. Pickering, one time with the Athletics, of the American League, jumped out a home-run in the tenth inning that won the game for his team. Ordinarily the hit would have been good for three bases, but it lodged in a hole in the right field fence, and before "Buck" Freeman could get it Pickering was home with the run that beat Boston, 4 to 3.

The Bostons played a brilliant game in the field, as did Columbus. Winter was on the firing line for Boston, and he did very well for the better part of the game.

Collins and his men seemed to take the licking as a good joke.

## GRIFF'S MEN READY FOR COLLINS' BOYS

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Everything is in readiness for the opening of the American League season in this city, which takes place to-morrow afternoon.

The Highlanders in a man are in excellent shape, and they are ready to put up a harder fight for the pennant than they have made since the advent of the American League in this city.

Manager Clarke Griffith believes that his team is much strengthened. Laporte, a player from Buffalo, Eastern League Club, who joined the team toward the latter part of last season, is covering third. This player, we are told in the field, "He is no Jimmy Collins or Bill Bradley, but at that he is fast, improving. At the bat, however, he is a wonder, and through his ability with the stick is expected to cut a big figure in the American League averages.

### Conroy in Centre Field.

As Laporte is playing third, "Wid" Conroy has been transferred to centre field to fill the position left vacant by the retirement of Dougherty.

It is a toss-up who will cover left field. Pat Dougherty and Hahn, a player from the Coast, are the candidates for the position. The exhibition piece declares that the reason he did not do better work last season was because of ill-health. He says that he is in perfect shape this season, and that he will be able to play the game of his career.

Willie Keeler will continue to cover the right field pasture, where he is the equal, if not the superior, of any man in the country.

The infield, with the exception of Laporte on the third station, is just the same as last season. Chase will cover first base, Jimmy Williams second base, and Norman Lafferty shortstop.

Behind the bat the Highlanders have been strengthened with the addition of Thomas, who was reputed the best catcher in the Eastern League last season. Jim McGuire and Kleinow will do the bulk of the catching.

### Have Big Pitching Staff.

The New Yorkers have a big box corps—Chesbro, Orth, Newton, "Noodles" Hahn, Hogg, Leroy, Keefe, Whalen and Hughes. Of the young pitchers, Leroy, who is an Indian, and Keefe are the best, and the ones that will likely be retained on the staff.

"If bad luck does not pursue us all this year, like it has done ever since we started in this city, the Highlanders will win the pennant this season, as we are anxious to get a good start and pull out a victory."

The usual inaugural ceremonies will take place at the grounds to-morrow. A band will play before the game, during the performance, while a city official will toss out the first ball.

## FORFEITS UP FOR BIG BOUT

Yesterday Charlie McKeever, through his manager, Alex McLean, posted with the Sporting Editor of the BOSTON AMERICAN his $100 forfeit money for weight and appearance for his match with Honey Melody at the Lincoln A. C., Chelsea, on Monday night.

The two fighters have gone through a rigid preparation for this bout, as they want to win the worst way. Melody has a match at Milwaukee on the 20th, and must win out with McKeever, or he is likely to "get the hook" and Mac go in his place.

The semi-final between Gaines and Mitchell will be a rather, and the former wants to score his twelfth knockout. But Mitchell has sleeves also to his credit, and will go after Jerry's scalp.

## ROOT TO BOX TOMMY BURNS

LOS ANGELES, April 13.—Manager McCarey has practically decided that Jack Root and Tommy Burns for his last fight May 16th. Burns is willing to meet all comers, Jeffries excepted, and Root is anxious to take advantage of the offer.

### CROMPTON VS. OMAN.

Reynolds and Klucken engaged in a rattling contest in the match of the New England Class C amateur billiard championship tournament at the Hub Billiard Palace, Reynolds winning by twelve points, the score being 150 to 138. Reynolds averaged 1 76-80, with 11 for the best run, while Klucken's average was 1 58-80, with a high run of 9. Crompton and Oman will be the opposing players to-night.

## In Tenneyites' Second Game With Brooklyn, PFEFFER PITCHES TO-DAY

By Boston American Leased Wire.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., April 13.—Boston and Brooklyn will line up for the second game in their series at Washington Park this afternoon, and on this occasion a local National League team is out for revenge. It was a bitter blow to get shut out by an opponent on the opening day, just when the players were most anxious to shine before their friends.

Fred Tenney says there is nothing to prevent a victory. He is greatly pleased with the showing made by the Bostons in their first battle. The Hub manager is now even more confident of his team than he was when they first returned from the sunny South, and says that they will make the other clubs hustle more than he had first figured on.

### Pfeffer vs. Strickland, To-day.

Frank Pfeffer, a product of the Eastern League, will essay to oppose the Superbas this afternoon. He is in great shape for the engagement, and will try to emulate the record made by "Little Cy" Young.

With one game lost to his team, Manager Patsey Donovan, formerly with the Washington American League team, will make a strong bid for the game to-day, and will send Elmer Strickett, inventor of "spitball," after the leaguers.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

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### GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia.
Pittsburg at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

### GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Brooklyn—Boston 2, Brooklyn 0.
At Philadelphia—New York, 5; Philadelphia, 2.
At St. Louis—Pittsburg, 2; St. Louis, 1 (10 innings).
At Cincinnati—Chicago, 7; Cincinnati, 2.

Pfeffer vs. Strickett is a card sufficient to attract most anybody to the game.

### Will Try to Play Sunday.

The Bostons and Brooklyn will test the law here Sunday by attempting to play a game.

"The boys are in fine shape in the opening game," said Fred Tenney to-day, "and if they are able to keep on the gait, there is no reason why we can't finish way up in the race. The men will work together this year, and this is a big asset to a winning club."

Manager Young was responsible for the heavy downfall of the Brooklyns in the opening game yesterday afternoon during the 12,000 fans, among whom was Mike Regan, the Boston rooter, and Henry Chadwick, the "father of baseball."

Young only allowed his opponents but one hit, and "Cozy" Dolan might have prevented this if he had played Lumley's fly right.

Not a man was given a base on balls in the plucky Hub pitcher, and five were fanned by him.

The showing of the youngsters was good in the field, despite the fact that they did not have any real hard chances. At the bat they were not notable, Fothom Mc-Lean's delivery to any great extent.

John Dalton, a pitcher from Steubenville, O., made the best showing for the visitors, Bowles got a two hits, one of which was a homer, he played splendidly in the field.

### EXHIBITION GAME SCORES.

At Columbus, O.—Columbus (American Association), 6; Columbus (National League), 5.

At New York—New York (American League), 5; Baltimore (National), 0.

At Washington—Washington (American League), 3; Washington (National), 0.

At New London, Ct.—New London (Connecticut State), 10; Providence (Eastern League), 1.

## HARVARD'S NINE ON SOUTHERN FIELD

RICHMOND, Va., April 13.—The first warm here to-day as in Boston two months later, and the prospects for continued fair and mild weather are said to be excellent by the local prophets.

The boys reached their hotel about 7 o'clock, and within an hour had gotten into their uniforms and were out on the local ball park working up. Only batting, however, was on the morning's programme, but there will be a hard session this afternoon in preparation for the game which Harvard will play to-morrow against the Trinity College team here.

Managers Keeler and Sugden have had a busy morning straightening out the boys' matters, which are at the New Jefferson hotel. The team has been well looked after, and their first impressions are good.

Dr. Nichols, the advisory coach, left the team at Baltimore, but will reach this city some time Sunday, on which day Captain Stephenson, who did not accompany the nine, is expected to arrive.

Trainer McMaster is well satisfied with the conditions with which his team is surrounded, and says that no team he ever had here, with him had the advantage of such fine batting facilities.

## GAEL'S FIELD DAY, MAY 30

A regular meeting of the Central Council of the Gaelic Athletic Association, held last evening at Wells' Memorial Hall. Eighteen clubs were present. Plans were discussed for the coming Gaelic field day, to be held at Locust street grounds on May 30.

The programme arranged is football games, hurling, tug-of-war and other professional athletic sports. Clubs who have not yet become affiliated with the association are requested to communicate with T. J. Mitchell, No. 22 Mount Pleasant street, Roxbury, or John F. Cluney, No. 74 Gates street, South Boston.

### TECH GYM MEET TO-NIGHT.

The second annual gymnastic meet of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology will be held in their new gymnasium on Garrison street this evening at eight o'clock. The meet will comprise exhibitions on the long and side horses, buck, flying rings, parallel bars, high horizontal bar, horizontal ladder, high and pike diving, tumbling, group rapid formations and club swinging. A baseball match and a boxing bout will be features of the evening.

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# Boston American Daily Home Magazine


## Do Not Envy the Girls Who Marry Only Empty Riches

By Beatrice Fairfax

A BRIDE recently drove in royal state into the city of Berlin, Germany. She was the Grand Duchess Sophie Charlotte of Oldenburg, and she was about to be married to Prince Eitel, the second son of the Kaiser.

She sat in a gorgeous gilded coach drawn by eight black horses. The coachmen, outriders and footmen wore scarlet uniforms embroidered in gold, hose to be lace-powdered for her, and the bride, though it was midday, wore a low-necked gown. Princess cannot be any happier than

The road along which she drove was three miles long and was lined the entire length with rows of school children, military veterans, trade guilds and troops.

Half a squadron of cavalry guards rode in front of the bride's carriage and a half a squadron behind.

Five six-horse state carriages conveyed the noblemen and ladies in attendance on the royal bride.

Fifty young girls in white scattered flowers in front of the bride's coach. When she reached her destination she was greeted by the Emperor and all his sons, while a military guard of honor presented arms.

On every side was pomp, show, magnificence. The most distinguished men and women of the country made obeisance to the bride, and she was the cynosure of all eyes.

Grand Duchess Sophie will live in a grand palace, larger than half a dozen ordinary houses.

She will have so many servants that she won't know the names of half of them.

She will have jewels and gowns fit for a king's ransom, but I don't believe she will be one whit a happier bride than the girl who goes to housekeeping in a four-room flat.

For happiness in married life means marrying the man you love.

The four-roomed flat can be just as much a woman's kingdom as the state-ly palace.

The young Princess will be obliged to spend her life in a round of tiresome social functions; she will never know what it means to enjoy herself without a thought of what people are saying.

She will have every luxury and no freedom.

The girl who marries a man who can support her in modest comfort is the luckiest girl in the world.

Riches don't bring content, and if you save up for a pleasure you enjoy it twice as much as you would if it came too easily.

If a girl is marrying a man she loves she does not care an atom about having show and pomp at her wedding.

She is marrying the one man of all the world and that is enough for her.

She goes proudly and gladly to the home he has provided for her, and the

Princess cannot be any happier than the peasant.

Remember, girls, that you are just as well off if you marry the man you love, and he is worth it, as you would be in marrying the richest man in the world.

Don't envy the girls who marry rich men, and don't spend your time thinking how lucky they are, for they are not a bit more lucky than you.

It sounds very fine to be a Princess, but it's much more fun to be an ordinary, independent American girl free to choose your own husband and have a chance to make something of your life.

The Grand Duchess Sophie has married a man five years younger than herself. She may love him or she may not, but in either case she had not much choice in the matter.

The most important step in a woman's life is the choice of a husband.

How would you like to have yours picked out for you and be obliged to marry him for reasons of state, whether you loved him very dearly or not?

So be content with your lot, little free American girl; marry the man you love, even if he is poor; help him along, and some day the four-room flat may grow into something much more spacious.

But you'll never be happier anywhere than in the neat little home with the man you love.

## Sidney Warwick's Fascinating Romance of Present-Day American Life,

# SHADOWS OF NEW YORK

## UNDER THE FIRE OF SUSPICION

CHAPTER V.—Continued


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HERRIES made a quick step forward.

"They have made an arrest?" he cried, in a sudden startled voice that drew Marsh's eyes to him.

"But surely you said that the police were on the track of the missing husband?"

The moment the words had left him lips it flashed upon John Herries that he had made a slip.

"How do you know it isn't the husband they have arrested?" said Haggard quickly with his eyes bent on Herries.

But the other man was on his guard now; it was swift to discount the slip into which he had been betrayed.

### A Police Blunder

"Oh, then it is the man March about, they have arrested?" he asked, with apparent interest. "I thought from the paragraph you read just now from the paper that they hadn't got him yet."

"No, it isn't the husband they've arrested. The paragraph about the police having a clue to his whereabouts, and expecting to lay their hands on him any time, appeared in the earlier editions, and probably means nothing. It's the sort of thing that's said when the police are at sea and don't want the public to know it!" Wynter laughed. "However, they have made an arrest at last—a woman."

"A woman?" echoed Herries. Eagerly he took the paper from the other's hands. The paragraph he found among the latest news started him tremendously.

"Late this afternoon the police made an arrest in connection with the murder of the missle hall dancer, Zingara. The suspected person is a young woman occupying a flat immediately below that of the victim, and named Olga Vail. It is stated that jewelry belonging to the dead woman, the smoking of the door for the possession of which the prisoner professes to be unable to account, has been found by the police in her rooms.

A little gasping breath broke from Herries as he read.

The unexpected news came like a blow in the face. The woman the police had arrested was the girl who had enabled him to get clear away on that night!

The charge was preposterous, absurd! She could not be guilty. Only the most consummate actress could have faced him with her composure if she had been previously she had committed the crime, Herries told himself. To arrest Olga Vail was monstrous. Was it his duty as a man of honor to go forward now, at the matter what cost to himself, to state that the police had made a grotesque blunder?

### A Sudden Question

If only it would have been of any avail! But the thought came to him. What shred of evidence could he adduce in proof of the girl's innocence? He could prove nothing. The murder of his wife had left the flat before he entered it that night; could he account for Olga Vail's movements at the time the murder was committed? It was fully an hour later when he had seen her.

And then, too, there was the significant evidence of the dead woman's jewelry found in her rooms.

In spite of that evidence, startling and inexplicable as it was, he could not bring himself that this girl could be guilty; but it was clear that he was powerless to help her by coming forward and telling his story.

To do so would be to admit, not only that he, John Herries, was the John March for whom the police had issued a warrant, but also that the police had been at fault, at the time the noisy party knocked without obtaining a reply, in that he was alone with the dead woman and had made a bolt through the window instead of raising an alarm.

He would injure himself without being able to adduce a scrap of evidence on Olga Vail's behalf.

"A more than usually interesting case, this Zingara mystery," Haggard said; "and do you know, Herries," he added with a laugh, "curiously enough, it will always be associated in my mind with your accident!"

"Associated with me?" cried Herries, a sudden sharp note in his voice. For a moment the words had sounded like an accusation. "Why do you mean?"

"Oh, associated I mean by a train of thought," explained the other, smiling, "and perhaps I ought to have said associated with your double! The man who spoke of as so strangely resembling your photograph, whom I noticed staring just as I parted from my friends here after the theatre, was standing in front of the flaring yellow poster of Zingara. Ever see this dancing woman?"

"Yes," said Herries, curtly, "several times."

He was wondering if any subtle meaning lurked in Haggard's words, that he should thus keep harping on the subject of the man, whose face he had singled out in Broadway.

"Poor girl! She didn't live long to enjoy her life," went on Haggard. "I hope they'll catch her murderer and hang him. There's not much doubt in my mind that the police have arrested the wrong person. There can be no doubt that it was the husband, John March, who killed her."

"On what grounds?" asked Herries, quietly. "Why should you assume this John March to be guilty?"

"Oh, do you chaps like? Look at the life this man and his wife lived together. He seems to have come from a class quite that from which she sprang, and he resented that she should have friends of her own class and choosing, which led to constant quarrelling. No one, you see, to have been a sullen, morose sort of man!"

"Always supposing that the reporters have got hold of the right facts!" interrupted Herries, impatiently.

"The information was not gathered from the papers," said Haggard, slowly. "I got it from the lips of a man who knew both John March and his wife!"

It was a fortunate thing for Herries that his face was in the shadow just then.

Haggard, this chief of those secret ill will he was convinced was acquainted with some point who had known him as John March!

So! how a man's past dogged him! Wichterer may be turned the quicksands threatened to engulf him.

A queer, Bohemian sort of fellow who knew March and his wife well, went on Haggard. He has a theory which may weave a rope round John March's neck should the man ever be found in the dock. He was one of a party of Zingara's friends who went to the painter's her flat on the night of the murder, shortly after the time when the medical evidence the crime must have taken place. They knocked repeatedly, but no one came to the door. But that someone was in the flat at the time was evident from the light in the hall being suddenly lowered—

### Divorced, Yet Bound

"But all this has appeared in the paper," said Herries, brusquely.

"Yes; but not what I am going to tell you—why this man is convinced that the person in the flat was John March. The police have been unable to lay their hands on a photograph of the missing husband, yet this man states positively that there had been at least two on view in the rooms. In the grate were the ashes of some paper or cardboard recently burnt, and my acquaintance's theory, which seems reasonable, and which the police are inclined to accept, is that after murdering his wife John March stayed to destroy all traces by which he could afterward be identified, and while so engaged was interrupted by the knocking at the door.

"I think, Herries, the man I speak of, who knew March, could convince even you, if I must introduce him to you and—"

The strain was becoming intolerable to John Herries. His own voice sounded strange and unnatural to him as he said:

"You are very kind, but that type of man, full of a crude theory, does not interest me. I have had enough for this murder case—well, the papers have worn it so threadbare that it would be a relief to think one had heard the end of it."

The end of it! And as he spoke John Herries was wondering what the end would be.

The dancing girl, for whom the curtain had fallen forever, dead and in her grave, was still a living menace to all the security of his future.

Dead and in her grave, she still stood between him and the woman he loved—who, he believed, loved him, but whom he dared not ask to be his wife.

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### An Ill Omen

Philip Haggard and the man who stood in a deferential attitude by his elbow paused in their business discussion as the servant entered and lighted the gas lamp on the table, making them realize that the shadows of the Summer dusk had crept in upon them almost unawares as they talked.

It was not often that the junior partner of the firm of Grimes, Grimes and Haggard encroach upon his leisure. But that afternoon he had come to the office earlier than usual, giving instructions that the confidential clerk, Grimes, was to come out to his residence in Yonkers in the evening, to dictate some unusually important letters expected by the late mail.

He had been a close, oppressive day. Beyond the west, patches of angry light smouldered and flared, presaging a storm, and of sombre hills, the brooding heaviness of the impending thunder.

"Shall I shut the window, sir?"

"No," said Haggard. "You need only draw the blinds."

He glanced down the Venetian blinds. As he was leaving the room, he passed and spoke in the unemotional tones of the well-trained servant:

"I beg pardon, sir, but have you heard the news of the terrible railway accident?"

Haggard started and looked up.

The words had fallen with a strange appositeness to his thoughts. All through that evening, even in the midst of business details with the clerk, Haggard had been thinking of a man in a train, following him mentally, to New York—had been telling himself again and again with a sense of overwhelming relief that nothing could now prevent the safe arrival of the man in his thoughts, that nothing could thwart his departure from New York to-morrow morning.

The servant's reference to a railway disaster was enough to set every nerve in him quivering like electric wires at white heat. Among the possibilities flashed across his mind.

An accident to the train might delay his departure from New York—might mean for him exposure, ruin!

CHAPTER VI.

Master and Man

"RAILWAY accident?" Haggard's lips had gone bloodless and dry. "Not the New York express?"

The servant looked mildly surprised at the question.

"Oh, no, sir."

Haggard breathed freely again. He heard himself laugh. What a fool's question it had been.

Tomorrow morning at dawn the ship would glide out from the docks with Robert Wynter on board; and those weeks of his absence would be the last he should ever spend in England.

Wynter would never know that the junior partner in his firm had thought with so warmth a couple of hours before his train was due to start that he had robbed the firm of close on $75,000. The danger was past.

But how near a shave discovery had been! Philip Haggard shivered when he thought how near.

"What accident? I have heard nothing." In his relief his mind his tones seemed almost indifferent.

"Just outside the town, sir," answered West. "The fast train to New York, sir—collided with some cows that were feeding shunted. They say there has been a terrible smashup, sir, and many injured."

"Very terrible affair! I am quite distressed by your news, West," murmured Haggard, in a correctly sympathetic voice, as West withdrew. "Most dreadful!"

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## Is the Stepmother Unjustly Maligned?

THE stepmother's side of the case is never heard. It seems to be the first wife's friends who rush into print always. As a rule, too, they are the ones that stir up trouble between the children and their stepmother.

Once in awhile, no doubt, there is a wicked, cruel stepmother of the story-book type, because there are still some wicked, cruel women in the world in spite of all the evidence of womanly unselfishness that some of the grandest women the world has ever known were stepmothers.

There was the stepmother of Lincoln, whom he always loved and praised for, and she certainly must have loved him in return or motherly impulses and a great deal of thoughtful attention and parental wisdom could not have been construed into a tyrannical, riotous assumption of authority when coming from a stepmother.

### Should Be Just

It is not possible, of course, for grown up or half grown children to feel the same affection for their father's second wife as they did for their own mother, but it is possible for them to be reasonable and just and to keep their prejudices under subjection.

When both have a sense of their responsibilities less friction is likely to be experienced.

Children who are grown and who find it difficult to get on with a newcomer owe it to the family circle to keep their difficulties as much as possible in the background.

The readiness with which the young people go away from home, often because of some trivial differences, due as likely as not to tired nerves, is appalling.

Breaking up a home and scattering its members ought to be a more serious matter than it is usually considered, and the stepmother is not always to blame.

Give the stepmother a chance at least to prove her worth before condemning her.

By unruly youngsters.

Much of the success or failure of the stepmother depends upon the attitude of the children toward her. If meddling relatives fill them all the day long with talk of a usurper in their mother's place, only the most remarkable tact and good qualities will make them mutually helpful.

Too often antagonism exists before any effort has been made to make the best of the situation, and in such cases it usually begins with the children.

They resent the coming of a stepmother and they dislike her for no other reason than because she has that position. They dislike themselves for feeling as they do right in the family, and consequently no right to expect obedience or respect could be forthcoming from them. The very words and actions that would be prompted by a spirit of thoughtful attention and parental wisdom, coming from a mother are construed into tyrannical, riotous assumption of authority when coming from a stepmother.

### Selfish Mothers

That disagreements between stepmothers and children are common is undoubtedly the sad fact.

Many a young wife and mother makes herself miserable imagining what would happen if she should die and the children should have a stepmother. Very often she makes her husband promise not to marry again. It is a selfish exaction and a foolish one.

Any effort to control the living from beyond the grave is apt to bring about a dragging of the affection idea.

It makes less happy the memory of the dead, and is always more or less of a mistake.

If a mother would take an impassionate view of the situation, looking at the matter only as affecting the welfare of the children she would see that almost any kind of a stepmother would be better than a succession of incompetent paid housekeepers.

Dozens of cases might be cited where the stepmother was the making of a family of unruly youngsters.

## Some Things You Ought to Know About Rugs

If a rug has rather a long nap, the best effect may be obtained by placing it so that the nap is against the light; that is, running toward it.

This is particularly true of an Oriental rug, for in this way the light strikes the pile, bringing out the lights and shades of the real artistic.

If a rug is inclined to curl at the corners the difficulty may be remedied with very little trouble.

Very thin pieces of lead that are used for the purpose may be procured in any carpet department. Make small L-shaped pockets at the corners and insert the leads, which will weight the corners sufficiently to keep them in place.

Occasionally the whole side of a rug will curl up. In that case a strip long enough to run the entire length should be put in.

A rug that seems to be satisfactory in color and design when seen in the shop may present an altogether different appearance in other surroundings. Therefore, the selecting of a new rug should always be a serious matter.

### TO CLEANSE CHAMOIS

IT is not generally known that to cleanse a chamois leather for plate cleaning or any other polishing purpose "the best way" is to wash it in lukewarm soapy water, and to leave plenty of soap in the last rinsing water. This makes the wash leather as soft and pliable as when new. To rinse all soap out will make it hard and dry. Dry in open air if possible.

## ADVICE TO THE LOVELORN

By Beatrice Fairfax

### GO THE NEXT TIME

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am nineteen years of age, and there is a young man of whom I think a great deal. We are not exactly keeping company, but he calls every week.

He has called about seven times, and several weeks ago he asked me to go to the theatre with him. The next time he asks you accept, and that will probably straighten things out. You can surely be pleased to go without his thinking you are running after him.

### TRY TO FORGET

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a girl without, and very much in love with a young man in my office. There are times when he is just as nice and pleasant as one could wish, and then at other times he passes me by as if I were not on the face of the earth. He has often passed compliments on me about other young ladies to me, and has appeared to flirt and try to make me jealous, but I laughed with him, and I suppose he saw his acting was a failure. His social standing is above my own, although I am not a worker, and I sometimes think that is the cause of his indifference. I have tried to put him out of my mind, but find it is impossible. Kindly let me have your opinion of his actions, and if you say I should try to forget him, I will make every effort to do so.

ANNETTE A.

My dear, I would try to forget him if I were you. You will only be unhappy if you keep on thinking about him. I do not think he means anything serious by his attentions. He is evidently a flirt, and you will be much better off if you can put him out of your mind.

## JACK HARKAWAY'S SON

CHAPTER XXX.

Death for Desertion


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JACK was at first merely interested. Then the crowd came nearer he became alarmed.

It was plain that the people were intensely wrought up about something.

Larsen was still haranguing them, and Jack could hear of the address gathered that he was inciting them to attack the house.

This proved soon to be true.

They battered down the door as if it had been paper and soon were swarming around Jack with every manifestation of anger.

He was seized and led, resisting, out into the street.

Here he was given an inkling of the reason of this amazing proceeding.

The executioner appeared before him and addressed him briefly.

"You are to be put to death," he said, shortly, "because you have deserted our countrymen in the hour of need; is it not so?"

The speaker turned to Larsen, who nodded.

"What?" said Jack, in amazement "How have I deserted you?"

"It is not my duty to talk to a condemned prisoner," said Larsen, "but it was you who *led us* to the ship of your supposed enemy, who sunk our boat, and turned you."

"But," said Jack, "for me explain."

"It is unnecessary. *You* can to explain your word of a Norse is never doubted in the Norse city."

"But I am surely entitled to a trial."

"Trials are unknown here," said Kadio, who now spoke for the first *time*. "You have deserted us, and had we not been strong swimmers we should have perished. Our ship went down."

"And I bear testimony to it," said Larsen, "That is enough. The word of a *traitor* is enough," said Jack.

"That is what you say. We do not choose to believe the word of such a traitor."

The executioner drew back his spear, the crowd fell suddenly silent and gathered about.

Jack took blankly waiting for the blow, and amazed and bewildered by the change affairs had taken, when suddenly Anderson, who was standing on the outskirts of the crowd, threw a bomb into the mob where it was the thickest.

There was instant and wild confusion. Explosives were unknown in that world, and the effect of this one was to frighten the people speechless.

But Jack was not to escape so easily. Larsen caught the spear from the hand of the frightened executioner and rushed toward Jack.

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## How to Garnish Dishes for the Dinner Table

USE the tiny sprigs of celery tops for salads and cold meats.

Sliced eggs, showing both the white and yellow parts, are nice for chicken salad.

Mint, either with or without parsley, for roast lamb, cold lamb and cold.

Parsley is the garnish most universally used for all kinds of cold meats, fish, cheese, etc.

Pickled onions, cherokies or capers for boiled meats, stews, etc.

Horseradish for roast beef and for fish in general. When used for fish, slices of lemon alternate with the little heaps of horseradish.

Carrots cut into ornamental forms for boiled beef, either hot or cold.

Red beets cut in ornamental shapes for cold meat and boiled beef.

Spots of black pepper alternating with red on the fat side of a boiled ham, which should be uppermost.

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# MRS. BLAKE IN COLLAPSE AT POISON PROBE

Breaks Down Completely on Way to Inquest on Husband's Death.

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Mrs. J. Herbert Blake collapsed in the Dedham District Court this morning at the third and final inquest on the death of her husband from poisoned coffee.

Mrs. Blake had broken down immediately after the death of her husband and had been unable to attend the two previous hearings. She has been recuperating at a Milton sanitarium, and was driven from the convalescent home to-day with her sister, Miss Eddy, to the court house.

As she ascended the court house steps with Miss Eddy on one side and Chief of Police Butters of Hyde Park on the other, she began sobbing convulsively, and finally collapsed so completely that she had to be carried into the court room. She then recovered sufficiently to testify.

**Hearing a Private One.**

The hearing was private, only court officials and persons directly connected with the case being admitted to the room.

Blake died February 27, suffering from terrible pains after drinking coffee prepared for his evening meal. He was found writhing on the piazza of his home in Hyde Park, Mrs. Blake was absent from her home at the time.

In the coffee pot was found a large quantity of arsenic.

Blake's dying declaration was that he was not a suicide, and the police began an investigation at once. He was in the best of health, and no cause for him to seek death could be assigned. He had taken out a life insurance policy only a short time before.

Horace Hussey, the six-year-old son of Mrs. Blake by a former marriage, drank coffee from the same pot, but suffered no ill effects.

**Told Priest He Was No Suicide.**

To the Rev. Father Chittick of the Church of the Most Precious Blood, Blake said with his dying breath:

"I drank two or three mouthfuls of coffee. It burned my stomach and soon after I had terrible pains. That is all I know about it."

The priest told him he was going to die and urged him to tell all he knew about the matter.

"You know I wouldn't kill myself, father," he said.

He died a few minutes afterwards in great agony.

# SLAYS INVADER SEEKING MONEY WON AT RACES

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Herman G. Miller, clerk of the Hotel Du Nord, at Fifteenth street and Irving place, protecting his property at the desperate risk of his life, early to-day fired shot after shot at two men, both boarding in his own home, as they entered his bedroom and demanded a roll of bills he had won on the races yesterday afternoon.

Edward Scanlon, who lived with the Millers in the flat at No. 320 East Thirteenth street, received one of the bullets in the chest and died at the New York Hospital. The other man, Patrick Donovan, escaped injury by a lucky chance, two bullets passing through his clothing. One of the spent bullets fired by Miller wounded his wife in the leg as she was struggling with Scanlon.

Miller was arrested charged with homicide, Donovan was locked up, charged with assault and attempted robbery, and Mrs. Miller was held as a witness. Both men were arraigned later to-day in the Jefferson Market Court, the woman also appearing as well as Martin Quinn, a bartender, who was found in a turkish bath at Broome street and the Bowery, who, it is alleged, knew something of the alleged attempted robbery and shooting.


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## "ELIJAH" SANDFORD RETURNS TO SHILOH

SHILOH, Me., April 13.—After an absence of several months Rev. Frank W. Sandford, self-styled "Elijah" and leader of the Holy Ghost and Us Society, has returned to his flock here. He arrived at Portland yesterday on his gospel yacht, The Coronet, after a rough passage from Jaffa.

## GIRL KNOCKS OUT A FORMER CHAMPION

CHICAGO, April 13.—William Murphy, an exchampion wrestler, tried to make love to Miss Lillian Houck, an athletic dancer, on Washington boulevard, Chicago girl. A moment later he went down before a rain of blows from the girl's fists. In three minutes he was a prisoner on the way to the police station.

## INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL TO OBSERVE ITS 25TH

The North Bennet Street Industrial School will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary April 16, at the Vendome, with addresses, scenes from "A Midsummer Night's Dream" by a dramatic club of young women connected with the school, a recital and tea.

At the school building, No. 39 North Bennet street, there will be exhibitions of the pupils' work on April 16, 17 and 20.


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### 267 Original Sample Suits, Made by the Swell Fifth Av. Tailors, Frankel Bros., Will Be Offered by Us Saturday at Very Near Half Price

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Then think what and whose make of clothes they are and you'll realize better what the sale may mean for you. As they say in the above letter, the styles run from the most conservative to the extreme of fashion, and so there's no such thing as disappointment. The materials also embrace a wide range and consist of English worsteds, fancy Cheviots, Tweeds, plain blue undressed Worsteds, etc., and the opportunity afforded by this sale for securing one of the swellest spring suits that ever came to Boston is one not to be neglected—particularly as every purchaser saves by the means the difference between $20.00 and $13.50.

**13.50**

### Frankel Bros.' Top Coats

The Louis XV. model with shaped back. In the fancy gray fabrics so popular. Serge lined with silk, collar to match the shade of coat. Deep center vent in back, made to sell at $20.00 and $25.00 each, a few are here for us to sell Saturday at the introductory price of ..... **13.50**

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are in all the new fabrics and patterns. Worsteds, silk mixtures, faint overplaids, neat checks, double and twist effects, gun metal and Quaker grays. Blue serges, black Thibets and blue and black undressed worsteds. Nowhere such an assortment. **15.00 to 30.00**

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### Men's Easter Neckwear at Half

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Made of excellent printed corded Madras in a variety of black and white, blue and white, neat figured effects, as well as striped designs on white grounds; also of plain white Madras. All made in the best manner, well fitting, good wearing shirts with detached cuffs, squarely up to the usual $1.00 value. In this sale ..... **50c**

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### Men's Spring Hats

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Boys' Golf and Eton Caps—in great variety—newest mixtures, best makes, each ... 50c

### Men's Half Hose for Easter

**Men's Black and Tan Hose,** medium weight fine cotton, regular price 17c., our price **12½c**

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**Men's Imported Fancy Hose,** in the new colors and patterns, exclusive styles that you won't find at any other store, 25c pair **25c**

**Men's Imported Half Hose,** beautiful quality of lisle thread and exquisite patterns; our own direct importation, fine for Easter ..... **50c**

### Men's Shoes and Oxfords

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## Freedom Written in a Splendid Face

When You See Gorky You Know That Liberty Is Born in Russia

**Maxim Gorky is in America. The story of his life proves that the power born in a man can lift him from poverty, darkness and ignorance to be a light and an inspiration among men.**

In his face there is written power, courage, persistency—hope for Russia and for all that love liberty.

The other night he sat at dinner beside Mark Twain. The young, eager soldier and the old veteran sat side by side—a beautiful picture of noble human character in youth and in age.

You know the face of Mark Twain—beautiful, as that of an old man should always be, the snow-white hair, the heavy eyebrows that contract at a story of wrong, the eyes that light up in the telling of the truth.

Study now the face of Gorky, the Russian genius. Would that every one of the hundreds of thousands that see this column could have studied in the life that proof of the power in all Russian people!

He enters—straight, tall, in a heavy coat that men wear on the banks of the Volga. His shoulders are broad; his height exceeds six feet. He is powerful. Hunger, cold, starvation, the long nights in damp cellars before genius set him free, have not conquered the blood and fire in that man, fresh from the real people.

It is truly a splendid face.

The jaw is absolutely straight. It comes out at right angles. The high cheek-bones seem strange to the American eye, unaccustomed to the Slavonic race. It is an accentuation, an idealization of the peasant face, that looks up from hard labor in the crowded fair at Nijni, the city where he was born. The eyes are light, in color, true; the look is as straight as a gun barrel, and firm.

A thick, rough, yellow moustache partly hides a strong, wide mouth, full of gentleness in replying to the affectionate greetings of the veteran, Mark Twain.

Deep lines are in the forehead. Suffering, hunger, cold AND THOUGHT put them there. The hair goes straight back from the forehead, thick and black—immense vitality, unlimited power is in every line and feature and movement of a really remarkable man.

It is no wonder that this man could see things plainly and describe them clearly.

When you have studied him for five minutes you know that Russian tyranny cannot endure. For there is a man typical of millions—ready to suffer for what is right, and ready to die for it at the first useful opportunity.

Below the heavy black cloud of ignorance, hunger and brutality that floats above millions of the Russian people, there are thousands and hundreds of thousands of men like Gorky—men with his power, devotion and courage, if not with all of his genius.

The Russian cloud of superstition is lifting. The light breaks through here and there, and the glad eyes of the people are lifted to it in ecstasy.

THAT LIGHT WILL NEVER BE PUT OUT IN RUSSIA.

It will shine more and more brightly; it will dissipate the darkness, drive away the mists. With the help of men such as this messenger from fighting Russia the darkest corner in the Czar's dominions will be lighted; knowledge will enter the poorest home and freedom will rule among a people that have deserved it.

If you have an opportunity to see Gorky, to hear him, do not lose that opportunity.

If you are able to help Russia by responding to the appeal that will be issued in Gorky's name, do not fail to help.

The spirit that moves Russia to-day is the spirit that established this country.

Would that twenty millions of Americans could study this splendid man, understand him and BORROW FROM HIM some of that spirit of protest against wrong which we so sadly need and which he possesses so abundantly.

## *MORE POSTAL CARDS---SEND THEM TO YOUR FRIENDS*

BY T. E. POWERS

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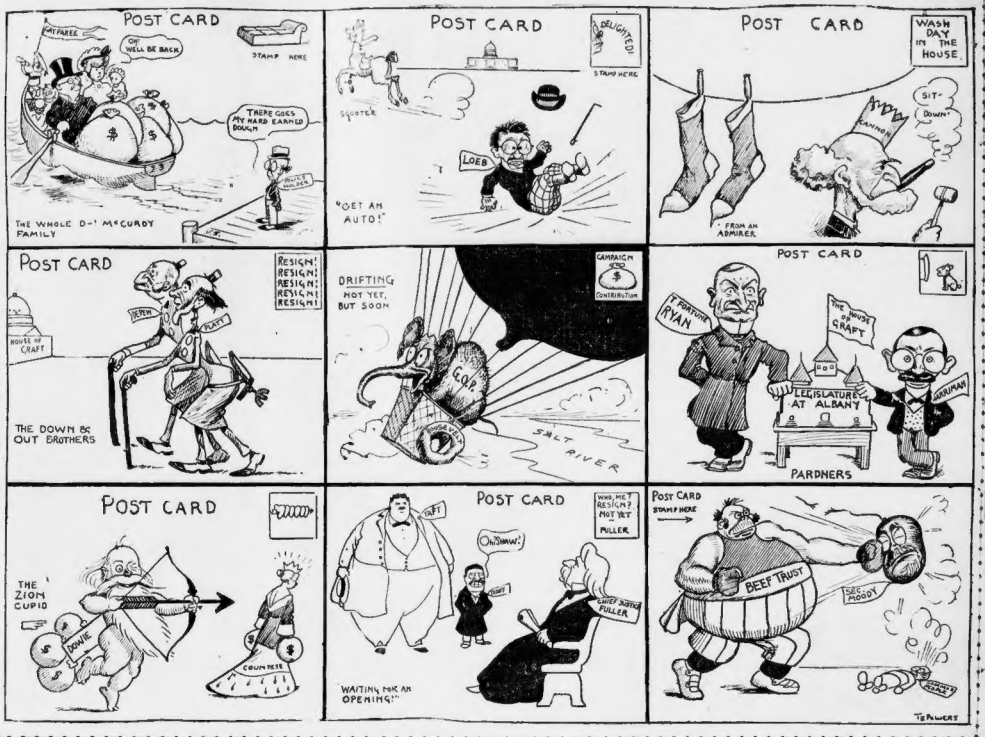


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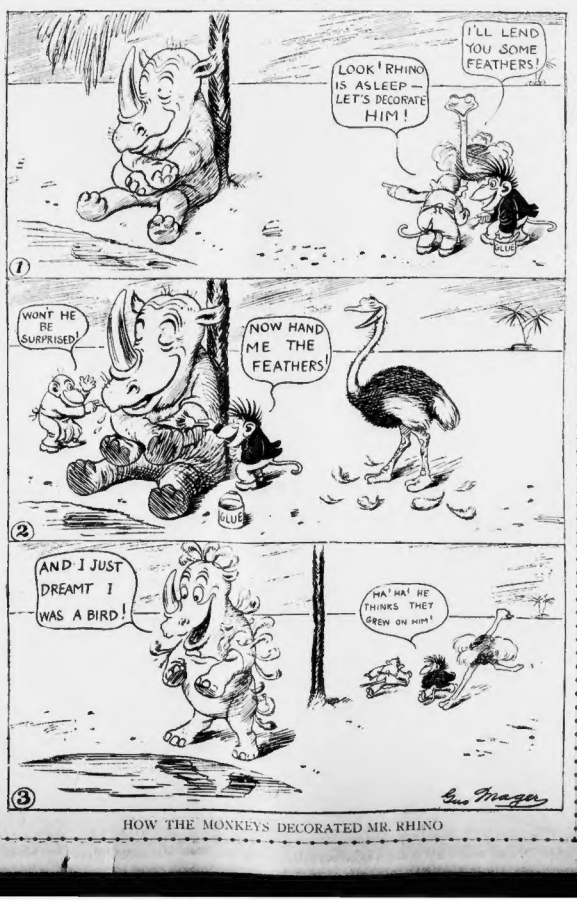


HOW THE MONKEYS DECORATED MR. RHINO

## *Do We Need a New Political Party?*

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

THE writer has very decided views concerning the absolute demand for a thorough political organization of the American people. There is no such organization, and indeed it may truly be said that in our history there has been no adequate political organization of the voters who are, in fact, in favor of the real spirit of our institutions. If this is true in regard to the past, it is intensely more true of modern days under modern conditions.

We have political parties, party machinery and political bosses, but no organization that rises to the dignity of being an organization—one that will entertain common and distilled opinions upon great issues. This is so, even though it is a matter of common knowledge that millions and millions of voters are sincerely and honestly in favor of popular government and all that it implies.

The great body of the American people are beyond question overwhelmingly in favor of good government and opposed to monopoly in every form. To give expression to their views, there is at present, in these days of great organization, no proper vehicle or channel.

We are told that the sovereignty is in the people. This is true, but it is in all the people taken as a whole. The individual citizen who therefore jumps to the conclusion that he is a king and becomes inflated with an imaginary self-importance is very vain and pitiable indeed. In reality, he is but the eighty-millionth part of a king, and as an isolated politically organized individual amounts to practically nothing, and becomes the laughing stock of the enemies of popular government, both at home and abroad.

There is, therefore, a most urgent demand for an effective political organization of the friends of our institutions and the well-being of the republic.

The enemies of our institutions are already perfectly and naturally organized. Apparently people in general are slumbering and are indifferent to their true political duties and to lofty sentiments of honor and liberty. But this indifference is only apparent. There is no possible doubt of the deep concern which citizens as individuals feel in the future political and economic welfare of both themselves and their children.

What grander work can the American engage in than to devise some plan to organize the voters of the country so that they may at all times be prepared for effective and united political action?

Let this organization be not for a day or a single campaign, but for all campaigns. Let it be based upon a well considered and conservative declaration of principles in strict harmony with our ideal and the immortal and irrefutable principles of the American.

Will the AMERICAN not give this matter its earnest consideration, unite the people politically and lend its potent influence to restore and perpetuate popular government in the United States? The professional politicians will not do this. Party machinery will not do it. Unorganized people cannot do it. Demagogues, theorists and reformers do not seem able to do it. Monopolists and the classes of special privileges indeed will never do it.

We are forced to the conclusion that some organization outside of the people themselves must take the initiative and afford a nucleus around which the best citizenship may gather and grow to sufficient proportions to become irresistible.

The AMERICAN, with its powerful cordon of papers across the continent, occupies a position of advantage, and is peculiarly fitted to do this work. Will it do it? The plan of action is but a matter of detail and can be worked out by a congress of conservative and conscientious men of known devotion to "government by the people."

WILLIAM N. OSGOOD.

## *Jefferson*

(BORN APRIL 13, 1743)

By Harry B. Metcalf

AT Monticello's hallowed shrine to-day,
Fain would the patriot bow a reverent knee
And ask thy spirit again to point the way,
O! arch-apostle of democracy!

## *Let the Would-Be Genius "Try It"*

By Dorothy Dix

RECENTLY I have had a number of letters from a youth of nineteen who says that he has a good position and brilliant prospects of financial success in his father's manufactory, but that he is of no use to himself or any one else because he spends his evenings attending cheap theatres and his working hours in day dreams in which he sees himself treading the boards as Romeo and Hamlet and Don Caesar and other melodramatic heroes.

This stage-struck young gentleman honors me by asking my advice as to what he shall do. To him I can only reply as I have in dozens of other young people who confided to me their yearnings for what they call a career—"try it."

Nothing else on earth is like going up against the dead, hard wall of a failure, to knock some sense into us, and so I say to the man and woman who believe they were born to do something better than the thing they are doing, "Try the other thing."

### *Diagnosis Is Right*

THE world is full of discontented and disgruntled men and women, who are miserable and make everybody about them wretched because they imagine themselves to be crushed geniuses, doomed to clerk in stores when they ought to be electrifying the world with their pictures or their editorials, or condemned to wash dishes when they ought to be tearing passion to tatters as Camille or Magda.

In most of these cases there is a sensible and hardheaded family in the background, wasting eloquence and pleading and tears, trying to convince a conceited boy that because he can draw a horse that you can tell from a house without its being labelled, it is no sign that he is a second Michael Angelo, and that there is more money in the dry goods business, anyway.

The crushed genius's friends and family are right in their diagnosis of the situation, but they are wrong in their method of treatment. It is emphatically a case where the hair of the dog is good for the bite. Indeed, it is the only remedy.

Nothing cures your belief in your talent so quickly as finding out that you can't make a living by it.

### *Clears Atmosphere*

DON'T argue with the boy who thinks that he is too gifted to become a mere business man.

Let him go away from the sordid surroundings he despises, where there is plenty to eat, combined with chromos on the walls and a pianola in the parlor.

Let him try to sell his pictures, or his music, and ten to one he will come back home completely and permanently divorced from Art and ready to espouse any calling that is good for three square meals a day.

Don't preach to the married woman who neglects her husband and her children and her home while she bewails the fact that she threw herself away on the domestic life instead of elevating the stage.

For pity's sake let her go and try to get an engagement as Juliet.

It takes no prophet to guess that it will take mighty little of this kind of experience to make her yearn for husband and home, and resolve to make a sacrifice of her ambition for her family's sake.

There is no way to tell whether nature destined a woman for a career or to be a cook, or intended a man to make shoes or heavenly melody, but to try it.

### *Accepts the Verdict*

YOU can't very well go on cherishing the mute, inglorious Milton illusion about yourself after you have hawked your poems all over the place without being able to sell them for anything but waste paper, nor can you prevent your faith in your histrionic ability from being shaken by finding that all that your talent calls for, in the stage manager's eyes, is a spear in the back row of the chorus.

So I say to the young man who is wasting his time dreaming of being an actor, when he ought to be attending to the leather business—first try it, and secondly, accept the world's verdict on your ability as final.

Ambition is a great thing, but misplaced ambition is the curse of the world. It is one thing to aspire. It is another to be able to achieve.

Unless God made you an actor, a writer, an artist or a musician, you cannot make yourself one, and so, after a reasonable trial of your alleged talent, if the world refuses to buy your wares, make up your mind that you have mistaken your calling, and turn to the thing that you have the ability to do well.

A lot of sloppy sentiment has been written about the unsuccessful genius, but it's all rot. Genius compels success, and the unsuccessful genius might better be butchering meat instead of butchering Art